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PROGRAMME OF DEPARTURES.

Vessel.	Tons.	H. P.	Captain	
*†L. BALLARAT	4,764	950	P. S. Tomlin	7th Oct.
MAORATANA	3,876	760	W. J. Nantes	11th "
*†L. SHANNON	3,876	760	J. S. Murray	21st "
—ATHAY	3,438	760	M. de Horne	28th "
*†L. BOKARA	3,960	760	C. R. Edwards	4th Nov.
*† VICTORIA	3,876	760	E. Cates	11th "
L. MYDASH	3,438	760	E. Drew	18th "
—SURAT	3,115	760	J. L. Parfitt	25th "
L. VERONA	3,916	760	F. Spark	2nd Dec.

* The 2nd Saloon accommodation of these vessels has been rearranged and fitted with every comfort including 2 berthed cabins.

The steamers marked † proceed direct to London via Malta; and those marked M via Marseilles. By the others, passengers for London change vessels at Suez. All London steamers call at Plymouth.

† The new steamer Carthage, 6,300 tons, Captain G. F. Cates, will leave London on the 11th November with the homeward mails, instead of Naples, Plymouth and London. She is a magnificent addition of the highest class for 172 First and 150 Second Saloon Passengers.

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Vessel.	Tons.	H.P.	Captain.	On or about
MALWA	3,091	2,000	W. Atkinson	11th Oct.
TAVENNA	3,115	760	A. B. Paul	28th "
GUZAPORE	3,387	760	R. Harvey	11th Nov.

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R. RUBATTINO	3,387	760	19th Nov.	1st Jan. '88.

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Persons whose names do not appear on the said List, but who claim to be placed thereon, must apply to the Acting Municipal Commissioner within thirty days from the date hereof, producing proofs of qualifications

F. L. CHARLES,
Acting Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay.
Municipal Commr.'s Office, Bombay, 30th Sept. 1887.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the ORDINARY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 33, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, on SATURDAY, the 8th day of October 1887, at 3 p.m., for the transaction of the following business, viz:—

1. To receive the Directors' Report and Audited Statement of Account made up to 31st May 1887.
2. To declare a Dividend.
3. To elect Directors in place of those who retire, but are eligible for re-election.
4. To appoint Auditors and to fix their remuneration.

By order of the Directors.

SUNDARROW RAGHUNATH & Co.,
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Bombay, 27th September 1887.

N.B.—The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 30th September to 8th October, both days inclusive.

NOTICE is hereby given that JOSEY BHIMJI HURRYRAM has contracted to sell the property hereunder described to THAKAR BHANJEE JOOTHANI. All persons having claims against the said property by way of inheritance, gift, sale, mortgage, lease, lien or otherwise, are hereby required to make them known in writing to the Undersigned, at their Office, No. 91, Meadow street, Fort, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to any claim, and the same, if any, will be considered as waived. Dated this 29th day of September 1887.

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COMMISSARIAT NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Commissariat Storekeeper General, Bombay, up to 1 p.m., (local time), and by the Executive Commissariat Officer, Aden, up to 11 a.m., (local time), of each of the dates fixed against each, for Contracts as specified below for 1888-89.

Forms of Tenders and Schedules and all further particulars can be obtained on application at the above Offices.

For Aden Commissariat.

Aden	Leather Articles	Under Schedule No. 8.	Tenders to be received on 31st October 1887.
	Wooden Articles.	Do. No. 9	Do. do.
	Bamboo & Rattan Articles.	Do. No. 10	Do. do.
	Tin, Brass and Iron Ware.	Do. No. 11	Do. do.
	Chickens and Eggs.	Do. No. 14	Do. 24 do.
	Fish, Salted.	Do. No. 16	Do. 20 do.
Aden & Coast Storekeeper General, Bombay.	Kurbee and Straw.	Do. No. 18	Do. 20 do.
	Butter and Milk.	Do. No. 22	Do. 24 do.

J. M. BOYD, Colonel,
For Commissariat General.

Commissariat General's Office, Bombay, 21st Sept. 1887.

COMMISSARIAT NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS and VERBAL OFFERS will be received by the Executive Commissariat Officers at Bombay and Karachee, and by the Commissariat Storekeeper General, Bombay, up to 11-30 a.m., and by the other Executive Commissariat Officers up to noon of each of the dates fixed against each, for contracts as specified below for 1888-89.

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Bombay ..... Poona ..... Karachee ..... Hyderabad ..... Mhow ..... Ahmednd.	Carriage for the Conveyance of Funeral parties, &c., and Coffins.	Under Schedule No. 3.	Tenders to be received on 21st Oct. next.
Bombay ..... Poona ..... Ahmednggar Mhow ..... Nuseerabad .. Neemuch .... Kurrachee .... Hyderabad .. Deesa ..... Ahmednbad ..	Wooden articles Copper, Iron and Tinware Crockery and Chinaware. Leather articles, Bamboo and Rattan Articles. Sundry Medicines.	Do. No. 4 Do. No. 5 Do. No. 9	Do. do. Do. do. Do. do.
Bombay ..... Poona ..... Ahmednggar Mhow ..... Nuseerabad .. Neemuch .... Kurrachee .... Hyderabad .. Deesa ..... Ahmednbad ..	Butter, Milk, Chickens, Eggs, &c.,	Do. No. 37	Do. 24 do.
Bombay ..... Poona ..... Kurrachee	Fish Salted.	Do. No. 6	Do. 20 do.
Bombay ..... Mhow ..... Nagirabad .... Ahmednggar Mhow ..... Hyderabad .. Deesa ..... Ahmednbad ..	Tow, Country. Straw, paddy, or rice.	Do. No. 8 A Do. No. 32	Do. 3 do. Do. 20 do.
Bombay ..... Poona ..... Neemuch .... Deesa ..... Ahmednbad ..	Kurbee.	Do. No. 39	Do. do.
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J. M. BOYD, Colonel,
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Commissary General's Office, Bombay, 21st Sept. 1887.

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BOMBAY MUNICIPALITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that BILLS for MUNICIPAL RATES for the current half-year ending 31st March, 1888, have been issued, and that payment thereof is now due. Bills may be paid at the Ward Offices as under on any day between 2 and 5 p. m., Sundays and close holidays excepted.

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B. Mandvi Ward, Argyll Road, over the Post Office.
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D. Girgaum Ward, Gowalia Tank Road.
E. Byculla Ward, Parel Road, opposite Richardson and Cruddas' Factory.
F. & G. Mahim Ward, Dadur, near the market.

The attention of the Public is invited to the provision of Sec. 126 of the Bombay Municipal Acts, viz., that all BILLS MUST be paid within fifteen days from the first presentation thereof, and that if the Bills be not paid within that time, Notices of Demand may be issued to be followed by Warrants of Distress if payment be still delayed. These provisions of the law will be strictly enforced.

F. L. CHARLES,
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Bombay, Municipal Commissioner's Office, 1st Oct. 1887.

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E. C. PENTLAND,
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Mount Abu, 19th Sept. 1887.

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By Order of the Liquidators,
For the Gordon Mills, Limited (in liquidation),
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Bombay, 27th September, 1887.

NOTICE.

THE HARVEY AND SAB-PATHY COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the FIFTH ORDINARY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Harvey and Sabpathy Company, Limited, will be held at the Company's Registered Office, No. 1, Marine Street, Fort, Bombay, on SATURDAY, the 1st October 1887, at 3 p.m., to transact the following business:—

1. To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and Audited Accounts of the Company made up to 30th June 1887.
2. To declare a Dividend.
3. To elect two Directors in the places of those who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election.
4. To elect Auditors for the ensuing year and to fix their remuneration.
5. To transact any other business that may be brought before the Shareholders.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 7th proximo, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,
P. D. A. SABAPATHY MOODELIAR & Co.,
J. MOLADINA,
Secretaries and Agents,
The Harvey and Sabapathy Company, Limited.

Bombay, 23rd September, 1887.

LIST of ESTATES to which LETTERS of ADMINISTRATION have been GRANTED to the Administrator-General and of Estates which have come under his charge.

FRANK WHITE, late Chief Reporter, "Bombay Gazette," Bombay.
WILLIAM WALKER DELA HOYDE, late Accountant, Executive Engineer's Office, Chapper Division, S. P. S. Railway.
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All persons having Claims against, being indebted to, or holding property belonging to the above-named Estates, are hereby requested to state their Claims, pay their Debts, and hand over such Property to the Undersigned forthwith. All Claims must be sent in the Undersigned at his Office within one month from the date of this advertisement. At the expiration of the said period the Assets of the Estates will be distributed and Claims received after that period will not be recognised.

L. RIVETT CARNAC,
Administrator-General.

Admr-Genl's Office, High Court, Bombay, 14th Sept. 1887.

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I. O'CALLAGHAN,
General Traffic Manager.

General Traffic Manager's Office, dated Bombay, 6th Sept. 1887.

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1st.—To receive the Directors' Report and the Audited Accounts for the half-year ending 30th June 1887.
2nd.—To declare a Dividend.
3rd.—To elect a Director in the room of the Director who retires by rotation, but is eligible for re-election.
4th.—To appoint Auditors and fix their remuneration.
5th.—To transact any other business which the Chairman may bring before the Meeting.

The SHARE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 25th September 1887 to 1st October 1887, both days inclusive.

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TO-DAY.

Fort : Bombay vs. Poona, 11 a.m.

Variety Theatre : Stanley's Opera Bouffe and Pantomime Company.

Fifes and Drums, Esplanade Bandstand, 6-15 p.m.

Band, Gymkhana, R. York. Regt., 4-30 p. m.

VESSELS ARRIVED.—The following vessels arrived on the 29th :—Govino (s), from London. Yesterday :—Assyria (s), from Karachi and Persian Gulf.

VESSELS SAILED.—The following vessels sailed yesterday :—Nizam (s), for London ; Pachumba (s), Coast and Karachi ; Heros (barque), and Nyanza (s), Zanzibar ; and Chilka (s), Calcutta.

SAINT THOMAS' CATHEDRAL.—The Bishop of Bombay will preach in the Cathedral to-morrow evening.

POONA FLOWER SHOW.—The annual flower show at Poona was opened on Wednesday. The attendance was large and the exhibition in every way successful.

B. B. AND C. I. RAILWAY.—The decrease in goods traffic on the B. B. & C. I. Railway for the week ending 10th September 1887 was 177,165 maunds, and in money Rs. 49,351.

INAUGURATION OF THE G. T. SHR: LUXMI NARAYEN TEMPLE.—There will be a hari kirtan gathering and a fair will be held on the premises of the Goculdas Tejpal Boarding School at night in connection with the inauguration of the Goculdas Tejpal Shri Luxmi Narayen Temple. The fair is open to the public.

SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE.—An entertainment will be given at the Seamen's Institute, at Prince's Dock, this evening, by the Byculla Dramatic Club, the programme including vocal and instrumental music, and a farce. Special tram cars will be in readiness at the close of the entertainment.

SUDDEN DEATH.—An inquest was held by the coroner yesterday at Cammatecopora 10th Street, touching the death of Francis Desilva, aged 25 years. Deceased was a fitter and out of employment. For the last seven or eight months he was ill and unable to work. He frequently complained of pains in his left side. On Thursday he suddenly fell down in a fit and died almost immediately. A verdict was returned to the effect that death was the result of heart disease.

SUICIDE.—An inquest was held by the coroner yesterday at the J. J. Hospital touching the death of Rewoobai, a young Hindoo womans, aged 16 years. Deceased was the wife of one Harry and lived with him in a chawl at Hanies Road. She was a very hot-tempered woman. On Wednesday she had a quarrel with her sister-in-law, and at about 10 o'clock at night was found lying unconscious, apparently suffering from effects of opium. She was at once removed to the hospital by her relatives, where she subsequently died. A verdict of suicidal death by opium was recorded.

DRUMS 2-E. Y. REGT.—The following programme of music will be played by the Drums and Fifes, 2nd Batt. East Yorkshire Regt., at the Esplanade bandstand at 6-15 p.m. :—

March	Faust	Arr. Heech.
Schottische	Birthday	Arr. McHenin.
Polka	New Year	Hawkes.
Quadrilles	Echoes of the Day	Hawkes.
Bugle March		Cubis.
Galop	Night Bell	Swinton.

MUSIC AT THE GYMKHANA.—The band of the Marine Battalion will play the following programme of music at the Bombay Gymkhana ground this evening, commence at 4-30 p.m. :—

March	Military	Myerbeer.
Selection	Gustavus III.	Auber.
Valse	Fairie Voices	Crowe.
Gavotte	Theodora	Thiere.
Galop	La Fanfare	Faust.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—An inquest was held by the coroner yesterday at the Goculdas Tejpal Hospital touching the death of Babajee Maldeo, aged 40 years. Deceased was a bricklayer, employed at a house in Green Street, Fort, where a new story is being erected. On Thursday forenoon, while at work at the flooring, one of the rafters of the roof, a piece of timber 20 feet long, fell upon him, struck him on the head and knocked him down, unconscious. He was immediately removed to the hospital, where he died at 3 o'clock yesterday morning. A verdict of accidental death was recorded.

THE STANLEY OPERA COMPANY.—We would call the attention of our readers to an advertisement which appears in another column announcing the engagement of Mr. Henry Stanley's Opera Company at the Gaiety Theatre, Bombay. The company has just concluded a prolonged engagement in Poona, where ... houses have witnessed the meritorious performances of his numerous troupe. The company ... extensive repertory in which are included ... the famous operas of Messrs. Gilbert and ... many of the most popular French adaptations to the English stage. The engagement opens ... with "Les Cloches de Corneville."

...NAMENT.—On Tuesday next, the second ... be played off between Poona and the Nizam's Palace Team. The names of the players are :—Poona —Captains Phayre, Hamilton, Hanwell and Beatom vs. Nizam's Palace Team—Afsur Jung Bahadur (Capt.), Mr. Ibrahim Beg, Mr. Nadur Ali, and Khaja Ameen-ul-deen. The winners will have to play on Saturday against the winners of Monday, and from what we hear there is sure to be some good games, unless indeed the noonsoon should give us the benefit of its final burst during the week and so spoil the ground which is now in perfect order.

A JAIL BIRD.—Ahmedali Shaee Mahomed was yesterday brought up on remand, and charged by Inspector Wilson, before Mr. Rosabhoy Framjee, with stealing sundry articles of jewelry, a quantity of pearls, some precious stones, a purse and currency notes of the collective value of Rs. 128-14, the property of Hajee Esmail Hajee Ebrahim, a jeweller, from his residence at Phool Gully, on the 14th ultimo. The complainant on the evening of the date in question, returning home, left the pocket containing the property on a table in his room and retired to bed. Early the following morning he missed the packet and reported his loss to the police. Upon inquiries instituted by the police the accused was arrested on suspicion on the following day at Null Bazaar, and on searching his person sundry articles of the stolen property were found. They were subsequently identified by the complainant as his property. Sundry other articles were recovered from a licensed ganja shopkeeper at Bhistee Mohla, with whom the accused had diposited the articles for safe custody. The accused was convicted, and on his admitting three previous convictions, was sentenced to two years' rigorous imprisonment.

THE DESERTER WHO ESCAPED OUT OF HOSPITAL.—Private F. A. Kirkham, who was re-arrested by Inspector Marshall of the Madras Marine Police, on Saturday last, at Pallaveram, was handed over to the Assistant Adjutant General, Eastern District, on Monday morning, and will be taken back to Poona shortly by an escort which has come down to fetch him. Kirkham declares that when he was arrested as a deserter he was sent to hospital, as he was suffering from sore eyes. In the hospital he was kept in a cell. He escaped from his cell at midnight on Friday, and the way in which he managed to effect his escape was as follows, according to his own account : There were a few teapoys in the cell. Those he placed one on top of another, and climbed up to the skylight. After getting through this he let himself down on the other side. He then scaled the wall of the hospital and got clear of the premises. On reaching the road he was given a suit of clothes by a native, with whom he had previously arranged to be in waiting. These he put on and threw his hospital clothes into the Cooum River close by. He then got a *jutka* and drove away to Pallaveram, from whence he intended taking the train to Pondicherry, but he was re-arrested. On Thursday night he got out of his cell in the same way, wandered about Egmore, but not succeeding in finding the house of the lady he was in search of, returned to the hospital, and got back into his cell through the skylight. The Hospital Guard knew nothing about it. On Friday he got some money from a friend who visited him, and that same night he escaped.—*Madras Times.*

H. H. THE NIZAM'S STATE RAILWAY.—We learn that Mr. Furnivall has called upon the District Engineer to erect loading boards at various stations on the new line between Secunderabad and Warangal. Owing to the increase of traffic of horses on the line, that department found it very inconvenient to land them without proper platforms. We believe this work will be put in hand almost immediately, and completed in a month's time.—*Deccan Times.*

MAHOMEDAN PILGRIMS AT KARACHI.—1,017 pilgrims arrived from Hajon Sunday morning last in the s. s. Sumatra, among whom there were 3 cases of small pox, 2 males one female, the latter died the following morning in the Quarantine Hospital at Manora, the other two cases are still under medical treatment. We learn that there were 12 deaths on board since the vessel left Jeddah and one subsequent to its arrival at this port from ordinary causes.—The pilgrims were first made to land at the Quarantine Hospital for inspection by the Port Doctor. The Sumatra leaves for Bombay with the remainder of the pilgrims.—*Sind Times.*

RAINFALL ON THE G. I. P. R. LINE.

WE are indebted to the Agent, G.I.P. Railway, for the following table of rainfall at stations along that line up to the week ending the 8th September :—

	In. cts.		In. cts.
Jabalpur	76 84	Nasik	23 95
Sohagpur	68 8	Doolali	21 43
Rewa	23 22	Ghoti	94 89
Nimbra	53 53	Igatpuri	90 0
Bhadli	22 5	Warrangaon	30 0
Jaigaon	34 2	Hudgi	43 27
Sirsi	28 90	Mohol	34 34
Mhaswad	30 32	Madha	23 44
Mahuji	41 38	Barsi Road	16 95
Pachora	33 77	Kelin	27 1
Kasgaon	31 90	Jehur	17 1
Nalsingri	37 61	Pomalwari	7 47
Chalisgaon	45 3	Dhond	14 36
Nandgaon	22 65	Lanowli	170 50
Manmad	20 49	Dhond	14 36
Lasalgaon	15 75	Kalsgaon	42 95
Kherwadi	16 40		

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THE TARDEO ASSAULT CASE.

EXTRAORDINARY PROCEEDINGS.

THE hearing of the charge against Mr. Frederick Ahrle, and others, of assaulting Mr. Cowasjee Jehangir Jusawalla, at Tardeo in July last, was resumed yesterday afternoon before Mr. Crawley-Boevey at the Fort Police Court. Mr. Hemming appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. Burder for the defence. Mr. Hemming asked to have two additional informations sworn to, but his Worship declined to allow this until the present charge and countercharge had been disposed of.

Mr. Hemming : Then I am not prepared to proceed with the case, and I ask that it be adjourned.

Mr. Burder objected to such a course. They were there to proceed with a specific case which was adjourned to this date. He was prepared to go on if there were fifty new informations, and Mr. Hemming too should have been prepared.

The Magistrate ruled that the case must proceed.

Mr. Hemming : I am not prepared to proceed with the case and do not propose to do it.

The Magistrate : Then I will order it to proceed without you.

Mr. Hemming : I protest against such a course being taken.

The Magistrate : By all means protest, but I must go on with the case.

The Magistrate called the son of the complainant and was proceeding to examine him, when Mr. Hemming objected, saying that the Court had no power to examine any witness for the prosecution who was not called by the complainant. They had not called him and the Court was not entitled to examine him.

Mr. Hemming then left the Court, followed by his clerk and the complainant.

Attention being called to this and Mr. Hemming's objection to the examination of witness being allowed, Mr. Burder now applied for the dismissal of the case. The prosecutor had withdrawn. He had refused to call witnesses, and Mr. Barder submitted that he was entitled to have the case dismissed. If hereafter the complainant chose to lay any new information before the Court it would be for his Worship to decide whether he would issue a process. In the present case the prosecutor having withdrawn, the defendants were entitled to an acquittal.

The Magistrate : On what section do you base your application ?

Mr. Burder : Upon section 247. Of course, the case has taken an unusual and peculiar form. I never knew a case take such a turn in my life. But it is plain the prosecution cannot proceed.

The Magistrate : I am bound to say your application is a most natural and reasonable one. Such a course as has been taken by the prosecution to-day I have never seen before. I do not see how the complainant could be prejudiced by the Magistrate's refusal to file additional informations in the middle of a case. How it could do so I cannot possibly conceive. The informations have nothing to do with the present case. We have been proceeding I do not know how many days without coming to any conclusion and without disposing of any but one witness. The only legal difficulty is whether the case comes under chapter 20 or not. It would seem to me that so far as concerns the old gentleman who complains of having been assaulted, there is nothing which would bring it under a more serious chapter.

Mr. Burder : I was given to understand that they intended to make their grand *coup* with the son's evidence, yet the prosecutor and one of his son's have gone away.

The Magistrate : I cannot see how your application can be got over.

Mr. Burder : You cannot frame a charge ; as yet there has been no material evidence before the Court. So far you have had but the evidence of one man, and he has now withdrawn.

The Magistrate : The law seems clear. I cannot see that I have any alternative but to acquit the accused.

Mr. Burder submitted that such was the case. It appeared to him from the remarks of Mr. Hemming that he was unable to proceed with the present case, and not being allowed to swear the new informations he had determined to abandon the present case. Under any circumstances he was prepared to urge that a *prima facie* case had not been made out. He would point out there were witnesses of the complainant waiting in the Court to give evidence when the prosecutor withdrew. There were still two—one of them a medical gentleman—present.

The Magistrate : Though Mr. Hemming left there was no reason why the prosecution should disappear in this way, if he intended the case should proceed. Under the circumstances I can only act under section 247, acquit the accused, and call upon you to proceed with the cross case.

Mr. Burder : As the other charge is disposed of in our favour I shall ask to withdraw the cross charge, and hope this will put an end to the whole proceedings.

The parties then left the Court.

THE MANMAR MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

THE fifth annual general meeting of shareholders was held yesterday at the registered office of the company, Don Tod 3rd Row, Mr. Jehangir Borjorjee Vacha, chairman of the board of directors, presiding. The following report of the directors was submitted :—

The directors have the pleasure of submitting the fifth report and the audited accounts of the company for the year ending 30th of June 1887. The working of the presses and ginning factories at Dhulia and Chalisgaum during the year has been satisfactory. Fifteen gins, an opener, a boiler, and a new press-cylinder have been added to the manchinery and the machinery and the builiding house for gins at Chalisgaum has been altered and extended to ensure better facility and speed in working. The number of bales pressed was 29,327 and the cotton ginned 74,770 cwts. The repairs to machinery though expensive, have been efficient, and stores have been valued at the lowest rates and depreciation fully allowed. In order to wipe off the debt incurred on account of additional outlay on buildings and machinery, the directors secured the sanction of the shareholders at their extraordinary general meetings held on the 15th of July and 3rd of August last to increase the capital of the company by the issue of 400 new shares of Rs. 250 each. The new shares have been offered in terms of the sanction to existing shareholders in proportion of two new shares to every five held by them with the condition that the new shareholders shall participate in the dividend that may be declared, but no shareholder applied for any new shares. The shares thus remained in the hands of directors with power under the said sanction to dispose of the same in such manner as they thought most beneficial to the company. A number of gentlemen, mostly shareholders of the company, offered the directors to take up all the new shares on conditions almost similar to those previously offered to the shareholders and the directors accepted the same, it being in their opinion beneficial to the company. All the new shares were thus disposed of. The balance at profit and loss account shows a credit of Rs. 65,551-11-11, from which your directors recommend to carry Rs. 3,000 to bad debt account, Rs. 3,500 to building account, and Rs. 16,000 to equalise capital subscribed for shares. This will leave a disposable balance of Rs. 43,051-11-11, of which your directors recommend that Rs. 40,000 be expended in payment of a dividend of Rs. 40 per share and Rs. 3,051-11-11 be carried forward. According to article 62 of the Association of the company, Mr. Haji Rehemtoola Jewraj retires by rotation.

The directors' report and the audited accounts up to 30th June 1887 were adopted and confirmed. A dividend of Rs. 40 per share was declared, payable on and after the 5th instant. Mr. Goolam Hoosein Mooljee was elected a director in place of Mr Hajee Rahimtoolaola Jewraj, retired. Mr. Framjee Temooljee was elected auditor of the company for the ensuing year with a remuneration of Rs. 125 for the year. The proceedings ended with a vote of thanks to the directors, the agents, and the chairman.

HIGH COURT—OCTOBER 1.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice JARDINE.)

For Judgment.

209-87—In person, a pauper—Bhimabai vs. Khansara Gunpat Bhai and others—In person.

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

183-87—Balkrishna and B—Shantubai vs. Mungesh Ramchundra Bhondsoy and others—Janardhen, G and in person—Part heard.

256-87—In person—Padmanath Luxmonji vs. Ramkrishna Ballall and others.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice FARRAN.)

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

Long Causes.

185-87—Nanu and H—Karsundas Natha and others vs. Ladkavahu and another—L, S, F and N and C and B—Part heard.

470-86—Payne, G and S—Haji Cadurbux Abdulla and another vs. Soolaman Salaoodan Zurkun and others—Hore, C and B—Part heard.

202-87—Hore, C and B—J G Smith and others vs. Goculdas Dewji and others Macfarlane E and H.

89-87—Payne, G and S—C A Turner vs. Rahimbhoy Hubibbhoy—Mansuklal and D.

THE DUCHESS OF CONNAUGHT LIFE BOAT FUND.

THE following subscriptions have been received by Messrs. King King & Co., for Her Royal Highness the Dutchess of Connaught Life Boat Fund :—

	Rs.	a.
Amount formerly acknowledged	5,267	11
H. H. the Nawab of Radhanpore	50	0
H. H. the Nawab of Cambay	50	0
H. H. the Maharaja of Travancore	200	0
John Jardine, Esq.	50	0
J. J. Barrath Esq.	15	0
C. F. Farran	40	0
Col. C. John Fitzgerald 3rd Madras Cavalry	20	0
Bombay Underwriters' Association	100	0
H. H. the Rajah of Cochin	200	0
Dewan Bahadur Lakhswan Jnggonnath Vaidya	50	0
H. H. the Maharaja of Ratlam	40	0
Messrs. Kirby & Co.	100	0
H. H. Nawab of Balasinor	50	0
A. Sliewan, Esq., C.S.	15	0
A. Wingate, Esq., C.S.	15	0
Nowrojee Jamsetjee Antia of Tanna	10	0
Messrs. Cowasjee Dinshaw Brothers	25	0
H. H. the Dewan Sahib of Palampore	200	0
Total	Rs. 6,427	11

HIGH COURT.—SEPTEMBER 30.

(Before the CHIEF JUSTICE and Mr. Justice FARRAN.)

DISPUTE REGARDING A FIRE-TEMPLE.

JEHANGIR MANOCKJEE CURSETJEE AND ANOTHER *vs.* SORABJEE FRAMJEE BOMANJEE.

THIS was an appeal by the defendant from an order made by Mr. Justice Bayley in chambers, directing that he should be made a party to suits Nos. 294 and 517 of 1883 in his personal capacity as being the person in possession and enjoyment of the rents and profits of the house attached to the fire-temple of the late Cursetjee Manockjee, situated behind the Fort Police Court. Defendant was by the order further directed to pay to the plaintiffs, the trustees of the fire-temple, the sum of Rs. 1,458, the amount of the arrears of the fire-temple expenses at the rate of Rs. 486 per annum, together with all costs incidental to the suits. Mr. Jardine, instructed by Mr. M. H. Khan, appeared for the appellant and defendant ; and Mr. Lang, instructed by Messrs. Ardasir Hormusjee, and Dinshaw, appeared for the plaintiffs and respondents.

The chief ground of appeal was that appellant was made a party to the consolidated suit in his personal, instead of in his representative capacity. He was not liable to the respondents in respect of the rents of the house attacked to the fire-temple otherwise than as heir and legal representative of the deceased Framjee Bomonjee. In any case the right of the respondents as trustees was to the enforcement of a charge upon the house and premises, and not to recover the rents from the appellant personally. He was not liable to the respondents in respect of the rents of the house attacked to the fire-temple otherwise than as heir and legal representative of the deceased Framjee Bomonjee. In any case the right of the respondents as trustees was to the enforcement of a charge upon the house and premises, and not to recover the rents from the appellant personally.

The Chief Justice, in disposing of the appeal, said the Commissioner of the court had determined a certain amount for the expenses of the fire temple. In 1885 an application was made to Mr. Justice Bayley, after the death of Framjee, who was a party to the former suits, that his son Sorabji should be made a party to those suits. That order was made by Mr. Justice Bayley, from whose decision an appeal was lodged. The Appeal Court varied the order. A second summons was issued against Sorabjee, whereby it was asked that he should be made personally liable for the amount of the expenses. Their lordships held that there was no section of the Code which allowed the court to make such an order as Mr. Justice Bayley had made. Section 32 allowed a person to be made a party before the final decree was drawn up. Their lordships were of opinion that the order appealed from was wrong : and that every part of it must fall to the ground. The court had been asked to appoint a receiver ; but that order could not now be made legally, as the decree did not contain such a provision. the order of the lower court was therefore discharged without any fresh order being substituted. Each party was to bear its own costs ; and the respondents were to pay the appellants' costs of the appeal. On the application of Mr. Lang, the respondents were allowed to take their costs out of the estate.

A CONTRACTOR'S LIABILITY FOR DIGGING A TRENCH.

Yesterday at the High Court, the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Farran considered a reference made by Mr. Spencer, acting Chief Judge of the Bombay Small Cause Court, in the case of James Conroy and his wife, Agnes Conroy *vs.* Fuckir Mahomed Babunbhai and others. The reference was made under Section 69 of Act 15 of 1882. The Hon. Mr. Macpherson, instructed by Messrs. Winter and Burder, appeared for the plaintiffs and appellants ; and Mr. Branson, instructed by Mr. J. C. Cama, appeared for the defendants and respondents.

The plaintiffs sought to recover from the defendants, who were contractors under the Bombay Municipality for executing a portion of the drainage works, Rs. 2,000 as damages for injuries sustained by the second plaintiff, Mrs. Conroy, by falling into a trench. The cause of action, as stated in the plaint, was that, on the 11th January 1887, about 7 p.m., the plaintiffs, while going along Green Street towards Apollo Street, with their servant and child, attempted to cross the road from the foot-path on the right side to that on the left ; and that, in doing so, Mrs Conroy suddenly fell into a large hole which the defendants had made in the road as part of the drainage work, about 6 yards long and 6 feet deep ; but which they had left unprotected and without any fence or light on the side nearest the foot-path, and with only posts on the other side, presumably for a cord or bamboo to be attached thereto. On the evening in question no light was exhibited near the hole. Mrs. and Mr. Conroy left their house in Custom House Street to go to the studio of Mr. Taurennes, where Mr. Conroy was employed ; and in doing so, they had to pass through Green Street. The drainage works had been in progress in this street for about a fortnight before the day of the accident. It appeared that a trench about 6 feet wide and from 5 to 6 feet deep, for the purpose of laying the drainage pipes, had been dug, extending from the gully on the west side of the Bank of Bombay to the junction of Green Street with Apollo Street. Across this trench there were two bridges of planks, which divided it into three sections. When Mr. and Mrs. Conroy got to Green Street and were proceeding towards Apollo Street, they observed a bullock cart coming along the carriage way, while Mr. and Mrs. Conroy took the footpath on the right side, or to the north of the trench. On reaching the Apollo Street end of the footpath, they found it blocked by earth and stones, which had been excavated from the trench and deposited across the footpath. This necessitated their turning back, but instead of walking to the east end of the trench, which was lighted by two lamps, and there crossing the road, they left the footpath and stepped on to the unexcavated strip of road which intervened between the footpath and the trench, which Mr. Conroy said was only 2½ or 3 feet wide ; and proceeded along this strip of road in search of the bridge. It was while they were in search of the bridge that Mrs. Conroy fell into the trench. The reason assigned by Mr. Conroy for not walking to the east end of the trench was that it would have taken them 20 yards out of their way. It was admitted by the plaintiffs that there were two lights at each end of the trench. For the defendants it was asserted in the lower court that there were, in addition, two lights on each of the bridges, or eight lights in all. This was proved. In the lower court again, the defendants admitted that there was no fence or paling on the foot-path side of the trench. It was said that the protection against accidents on that side was by the earth and stones excavated from the trench being deposited between the trench and the foot-path to the height of two or three feet, so that no person leaving the foot-path would have to scramble over this mound of earth before he reached the trench. On the evidence, Mr. Spencer found that there were two lights, at each end of the trench but none on the bridges or at any intermediate point ; that there was no earth deposited between the foot-path and the trench at the spot where Mrs. Conroy fell ; and that the accident occurred after Mr. and Mrs. Conroy had left the foot-path and were on the narrow strip of road, searching for the bridge. On the evidence of the plaintiffs themselves, it appeared to the learned judge a question whether they were not guilty of contributory negligence. The drainage works had been in progress in Green Street for a fortnight before the accident ; placards had been put up at both ends of the street warning passengers as to the state of the road ; Mr. Conroy passed through the street twice daily in going to and from his work ; on the day of the accident he had passed through the street at 8 a.m. and again at 6 p.m., one hour before the accident ; Mrs. Conroy also had frequently passed along the street ; and it was only the day before the accident that she had crossed the trench by one of the bridges. Both the plaintiffs, in the judge's opinion, were therefore well acquainted with the state of the road. When they came to the Apollo Street end of the foot-path and wished to cross over to the other side of the road, they knew the trench was in their way, and that they could only do so with safety by either retracing their steps twenty yards and crossing the road at the east end of the trench, or going over one of the bridges. At the same time they saw that the bridges were not lighted, and that in the darkness of the evening it would be difficult for them to find their exact position. Yet with these difficulties before them and with full knowledge of the state of the road, they left the foot-path and stepped on to a narrow strip of road, which Mr. Conry himself said was only 2 or 3½ feet wide, and proceeded along this narrow way in search of the bridge. They ought to have known, Mr. Spencer thought, that such a step would have precipitated them, as it did Mrs. Conroy, into the trench. The lower court thought that the immediate cause of the accident was the imprudent act of the plaintiffs in leaving the foot-path and walking in the dark along a narrow ledge overhanging a deep trench ; and that the case fell within the rule as to contributory negligence laid down by Lord Fitzgerald in Wakelin *vs.* London and South Western Railway Company, L. R. Ap. Cases, vol. 12, p. 41. Mr. Spencer held that the plaintiffs were guilty of such contributory negligence as to disentitle them to any damages ; and the suit was dismissed. The question submitted by the reference for the consideration of the High Court on the application of the plaintiff's solicitor, was :—Have the plaintiffs been guilty of such contributory negligence as to disentitle them to any damages ? In that case the Appeal Curt decide that the plaintiffs were entitled to damages. Mr. Spencer had assessed them at Rs. 1,400, for which sum a verdict would, in that case, have been entered for the plaintiffs.

Their lordships heard Mr. Macpherson on behalf of the appellants ; but without calling upon the counsel for the respondents to reply, came to a decision.

The Chief Justice in delivering the judgment of their lordships, said : "We agree with the acting Chief Judge of the Small Causes Court that the act of the plaintiffs, in leaving the footpath and walking in the dark along a narrow ledge overhanging a deep trench with the full knowledge of what they were doing, was a most imprudent act ; and that by the exercise of ordinary caution on their part by retracing their footsteps for some twenty yards and crossing the road at the last end of the trench, they might have avoided the consequences of the defendants' neglect in not placing lights along the trench, or at any rate at the overbridge ; and that, therefore, as laid down by the Exchequer Chamber in Tuff *vs.* Warman, 27 L. J., C. P. 322, they are disentitled from recovering damages from the defendants. The question referred to this court must, therefore, be answered in the affirmative.

Mr. Spencer's judgment was affirmed ; and the appeal was rejected.

RAINFALL ON THE B. B. & C. I. R. LINE.

WE are indebted to the Agent, B. B. and C. I. Railway, for the following table of rainfall at stations along that line up to the week ending the 29th inst :—

	In. cts.		In. cts.
Bandora	102 37	Baroda	39 59
Panjoo	93 45	Mehmadabad	35 49
Valurna	66 8	Ahmedabad	28 35
Palghur	68 29	Viramgam	29 30
Gholwad	80 16	Wadhwan	18 67
Daman	88 10	Dabhoe	46 63
Bulsar	85 56	Sevalia	45 38
Nausari	74 0	Godhra	43 00
Surat	71 75	Kharaghoda	15 19
Broa Bank	66 0	Sinn	33 6

REBELLION IN THE MALDIVES.

A SHORT time ago the two sons of Ibrahim Didi, Prime Minister of the Maldive Islands, who are scholars at Richmond College, Galle, hearing from a stray Maldivian boat that their father was in trouble, proceeded to Kandy to interview the Governor and to get him to do what he could to help their father. Last year the old Sultan, Ibrahim Nuruddin, was deposed, and his nephew, Muhamad Muinuddin, placed on the throne. Sir Arthur Gordon consented to this move, though not consulted, because of a letter, purporting to be written by the old Sultan, agreeing to make room for his nephew. This document is now said to be a forgery, and Ibrahim Didi and his people are thought to be against the new Sultan. Messrs. Carimjee Jafferjee & Co.'s boat arrived in Colombo a few days ago from the Maldives, bearing a letter for the Governor, in which the present Sultan represents Ibrahim Didi, Ismail Didi, and Hossen Didi as disturbers of the public peace, whom it has been necessary to arrest and whose lands have been confiscated. This is the present Sultan's story, which needless to say, widely differs from that of Ibrahim Didi and the old Sultan. One thing is certain, and that is that the Prime Minister is in prison, charged with setting fire to the house of the Sultan. It is time now the Ceylon Government interfered and sifted the whole matter to the bottom, for, if these islands belong to us, we cannot refuse to assume our proper and legitimate responsibilities any longer. The whole dispute appears to have to do with money matters, and is fostered by rival traders ; but it must now be put a stop to and something done to give greater security to the inhabitants against the caprice of their rulers than they now possess. The fleet which yearly pays us a visit will be here in a couple of months' time, when we shall be able to learn more authentic news of what is really going on in our far-off dependency.—*Times.*

A MAN IN WOMAN'S CLOTHES.

THE Karachi police are not wanting in detective capacity. A clever capture was made on Monday last of a man who masqueraded in woman's clothes at the City Station. The *Sind Times* gives the following account of the incident :—

A suspicious individual in the garb of a female and closely veiled was seen at the City Station to enter the compartment reserved for females in the mail train. The Policeman on duty who was standing by happened to notice some hair which looked like beard on the face of the individual when the veil had been partially drawn aside the face. The Policeman reported this circumstance to the Chief Constable who made inquiries about this individual from a person who represented himself as the servant of the woman in purda. The size of the individual and the peculiar shuffling replies of the servant having aroused the suspicion of the Chief Constable he reported the matter to the Station Master Mr. Green who asked the woman to show her face. The mysterious individual preserved perfect silence, the servant answering for her and she objecting to show her face. Mr. Green thereupon proposed that the woman should throw aside her veil and show herself to one of her own sex. The mysterious being thus closely pressed to discover herself and seeing no way of escape, took off her veil and to the astonishment of all the beholders turned out to be a male in female carriage. The intending person not with this much difficulty was detained in the City Magistrate's Court, where it may be expected that further particulars about this curious adventure will be unearthed. The case is an important one and we hope the Crown Counsel will be instructed to conduct it.

NEWS FROM AFGHANISTAN.

THE following items of intelligence from Afghanistan are taken from the letters of native correspondents of the Lahore papers :—

The Ameer of Kabul summoned a meeting of the Chiefs of Medan, Logar, Khurd Kabul, Tagaw, Kohistan and of Kohi Damin, and asked them if they had heard that Ayub Khan had escaped from Persia in the hopes of ruining Afghanistan. On their replying in the affirmative, he asked them to supply him with additional guards for Kabul and Ghazni, 2,400 Turkish men were selected, who after an interval of 9 days arrived at Kabul and, after paying their rations and military equipments, the Ameer sent 1,000 of them to Ghazni, and the remainder were divided in the divisions of Kabul. Ajibulla Khan, Governor of Ghazni, will supply rations to the former and Mahomed Naim Khan to the latter.

A fortnight ago (about Sept. 6,) a force of the Turki, Tokhi, and Mangal tribes, 4,000 in number, attacked General Abdul Majid Khan (Ghilzai of Garvez), who was stationed at Shahjoi in Tokhi with three troops of cavalry and three of foot and 2,000 men. Six hundred men were killed and wounded on both sides, and 60 of the Ameer's men were made prisoners and the subjects of Shahoi were also plundered.

The Khan of Asmar has sent another man to Hosain Shah, the Kuka Khel, with Rs. 5,000 to purchase more articles for marriage ceremonies. Rs. 4,000, as I have told you, was sent before for the same purpose. The uncle of the Khan of Asmar says that there is a Pass between Asmar and Kaffristan through which foot-travellers can reach Faizabad in 8 days, the time he occupied in making the journey. The road through this Pass cannot at present be used for laden animals, but it could be made of use with some little difficulty.

Rations for the Ameer's forces stationed at Deh Bola and Mazina are being taken by force from the inhabitants of the country round, by Sirdar Dad Mahomed Khan, the Governor of Jellalabad ; and for this reason some people with their families have fled from the neighbourhood. The gates of Jelledabad are also now closed exactly at sunset and opened at sunrise, through fear of the vengeance that their ill-treatment might lead the people to take.

When the Ameer returned to Cabul from Yoghman, he heard that Ayub Khan had absconded, and in order to revive his popularity at once cancelled the undermentioned taxes :—The tax of Rs. 5 on re-marriage of widows ; Rs. 10 on first marriage ; the tax on land belonging to mosques, and the charge of 1¼ on estate of deceased persons ; as well as some other taxes fixed by him. Purwana Khan, however, wrote to the Ameer that his subjects would, never be kept in submission now except by the sword, for his reputation had suffered too much to be restored by the remission of any taxes.

Abdul Karim, the son of the Akhund of Swat, heard the news of Ayub Khan's escape from Persia with great pleasure.

THE VOLUNTEERS IN BURMA.

VOLUNTEERING has, it appears, been taken up with much spirit in Mandalay. The Chief Commissioner of Burma remarked at a recent meeting of the local corps :—

"In the present disturbed state of the country it is quite impossible to say how soon the services of such a body as the Mandalay Volunteers would be required and even when—in a short time, let us hope—Mandalay becomes as quite and orderly a town as any in the British possessions, it can never happen that the Volunteers can be looked upon as useless. These considerations led the Commissioner to feel gratitude towards those who are so good as to give up some of their time and their money in assisting the Government to keep the peace. Proofs of your earnestness are abundant. You have subscribed over Rs. 900 amongst you ; you have formed yourselves into a corps at a time when the pressure of work was heavy upon all, and when every man's affairs were in a more or less unsettled state, and that unsolicited and without any suggestion on the part of the Government ; you have found yourselves temporary head-quarters at some expense even when the corps can hardly be said to exist ; and you have done your best to augment your numbers by the formation of foot and mounted companies so as to draw as many into the movement as possible. All this makes me the more inclined to do what I can to help you. Your first requirement is a permanent head-quarters, and I am prepared to provide you with one of the sites in the civil lines of the city : and in this matter I am glad to say I have the co-operation of the Major-General Commanding. Then, as to the provision of funds for the necessary buildings, I am obliged to say that the Government of India do not approve of grants for such a purpose. It is not want of desire on my part that prevents me from granting funds for this building, but it is because I am not permitted to do so."

CENTRAL PROVINCES ORDERS.

(*Central Provinces Gazette.*)

Mr G C Swiney, Asst Surveyor, 1st Grade, is appointed to act as Asst Settlement Officer from 1st Apl 1887, and is posted to the Saugor dist.

Mr G E Parker, Asst Surveyor, 1st Grade, is appointed to act as Asst Settlement Officer from 1st Apl 1887, and is posted to the Narsinghpur dist.

Mr R P S Hill, Asst Surveyor, 1st Grade, is appointed to act as Asst Settlement Officer from 1st Apl 1887, and is posted to the Chhindwara dist.

In consequence of the departure on privilege leave of Col C H Grace, Depy Commr, 1st Class, the following promotions are made from 23rd Aug 1887 :—

Mr H J MacGeorge to officiate as Depy Commr, 1st Class.

Col W Vertue to officiate as Depy Commr, 2nd Class

Mr T Drysdale to be Depy Commr, 3rd Class, sub pro tem.

Mr W A Nedham to officiate as Depy Commr, 3rd Class.

In consequence of the departure on privilege leave of Mr T J Kennedy, CS, Offg Asst Commr, 1st Class, the following promotions are made with effect from the 30th July 1887 :—

Mr L S Carey, CS, to officiate as Asst Commr, 1st Class.

Mr Syed Alli Mahomed to officiate as Asst Commr, 2nd Class.

Mr J A C Skinner, CS, Supernumerary Asst Commr, to officiate as Asst Commr, 3rd Class, from the 1st inst, vice Mr F W Phillips, CS, on deputation.

Col D Ward, RE, Chief, Engr, and Secy to Chief Commr, P W D, Central Provinces, is granted 2 months' privilege leave, from 16th current.

Mr M Leslie, Asst Secy to Chief Commr, P W D, Central Provinces, until further orders, takes charge of the current duties of office of Chief Engr, and Secy to Chief Commr, P W D, Central Provinces, from the 16th current.

MADRAS.

A THUNDERSTORM AT MADRAS.—Madras was visited by another severe thunderstorm on Tuesday afternoon, when 2·56 inches of rain was registered. The rain commenced shortly before 5 o'clock and continued to pour steadily for about an hour. Several streets in Black Town were flooded, and it was some hours before the water escaped through the channels and drains. The direction of the wind was west south-west. During the thunderstorm on the 25th instant 1·77 inches of rain were registered at the Observatory, the wind direction on that occasion being south south-west. From the 1st instant up to and including

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Bhanbai ..... *Plaintiff*

vs.

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The property is on view.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 1st October, at 1 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at 114, The Ridge Malabar Hill, the very valuable and handsome blackwood and teakwood French-polished household furniture, made to order, best plated ware rich crockery and glassware, a first-rate mahogany grand square pianoforte by Schidmayer and Soehne, handsome China and Japanese vases, rich table ornaments first-rate chromographs and pictures, rich Persian and Brussels carpets, table and hanging kerosine-lamps, a collection of choice plants in tubs and pots &c., the property of JAMES DORAN, Esq.

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TO-MORROW, SUNDAY, the 2nd October at 1 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Bandora Hill Road, Bandora, the valuable and handsome blackwood and teakwood French-polished household furniture, best plated ware, rich crockery and glassware, handsome China and Japanese vases, rich table ornaments, Hink's patent duplex table and hanging kerosine lamps, a handsome strong built neatly new victoria, with removeable coach box, in very good order, sets of harness, &c., &c., the property of R. WAGNER, Esq Acting German Consul.

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

FRIDAY EVENING, SEPT. 30.

THE Bank of England return for the week ending on Wednesday shows a decrease of 1 per cent. in the proportion of the Reserve to Liabilities, and the rate of discount on 3 month's sight Bills in the open market has advanced ½ per cent. Consols however remain as previously quoted at 101⅛ as do French Rentes in Paris at 109, but Rupee Paper comes ¼ lower as the result no doubt of the weaker tendency in Exchange reported from this side yesterday.

In the Mincing Lane markets the only movement noticed by Reuter is a partial decline of 1s. per cwt. in Coffee. Seeds and Wheat, he says, are unchanged, but private advices regarding the latter staple are again weak and entirely prohibitive of new business with Bombay.

COTTON in Liverpool yesterday closed easier, the day's sales being estimated at 10,000 bales including 1,500 Surats. In spot prices the only change advised is a decline of 1-16d. in Mid-Uplands, which to arrive is also 1-64d. lower in all positions near and distant. From New York no alteration is quoted, ready Mid-Uplands being still given at 9 9-16 and January delivery at 9-21 cents per lb. The receipts at the ports were 31 000 as against 25,000 last year and for the six days 191,000 against 126,000 for the same period in 1886.

The quiter accounts from home naturally go to increase the dulness here and very few transactions have taken place to-day, although sellers have been partially Re. 1 per candy easier in their asking rates. The local mills have bought 125 bales Khamgaum at Rs. 190, 200 bales Jalgaum at Rs. 170, 50 bales Persians at Rs. 184, and for export 200 bales new fully good Khangaum are said to have changed hands at Rs. 197 for March.

WHEAT is still very firmly held by the dealers, but Europeans are out as sellers of Ex-Dhani for October-November at Rs. 4-1 per cwt. Although this is below the current quotations there are no buyers, in fact Rs 3-14 would not lead to large buying for export.

FREIGHTS are duller again if that be possible. The s. s. Persia has filled up for Marseilles at 10s. per ton and North Continental ports have been done at 13s. 9d. prompt shipment 15s. October. Further forward we have not heard of anything, speculation and actual business being alike stagnant.

EXCHANGE remains very quiet without much business passing. Bank Bills are unaltered both for ready and forward, but private Bills have been negociable on slightly easier terms ready. We quote:—

Bank Bills on demand .....1s. 5d.	per rupee.
Do. Telegraphic .....1s. 4 31-32d.	„
Do. 3 months' sight.....1s. 5 3-32d.	„
Credits, 3 months' sight ....1s. 5 3-16d. to 7-32d.	„
Francs, 3 months' sight.....1-32d to ¼	„

GOVERNMENT PAPER is pretty firm, but owing to the lower quotations from London Fours have receded to Rs. 98 13-16. Fours-and-a-half remain at Rs. 102½.

SHARES are generally quiet, and Spinning and Weaving Mills a partial decline of 2½ to Rs. 5 per share may be quoted. Other companies are mostly unchanged.

The prospectus has been sent us of a proposed new Cotton Mill to be styled the Asiatic Manufacturing Co., Ld. The capital is put at 5 lakhs, but the prospectus says nothing as to the extent of the Mill, where it is to be erected or what class of yarns or goods it is proposed to produce. Under the circumstances there is little matter for criticism before us, but one good point may be noticed, and that is that the remuneration of the agents is to be 10 per cent. on profits. That there is plenty of room for new Mills if properly conducted there can be no doubt, but we fancy something larger than 5 lakhs of capital affords would stand a better chance of success.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LISTS.

BANKS

	Shares.	Amt.	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash. Rate.
		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
INDIAN BANK.					
Bank of Bombay	10,000	500	all	14 pct.	770
Bank of Bengal	43,000	500	all	10 do.	680
Bank of Madras	10,000	500	all	14 do.	665
EXCHANGE BANK.					
Agra Bank	10,000	4	4	6 do.	115
Hong. and Shang. et. Corporation	80,000	100	all	17½ do	246
National Bank of India	37,320	$125		5 pct	122
		250			

PRESS COMPANIES.

Akbar Cotton	200	1,250	1,250	Rs. 54	1 175	
Albert Ginning Co.	100	500	500	Rs.	425	
Albert Press Co., Kurrachee	100	1,100	1,100	Rs. 100	875	
Apollo Press Co. (small shares)	750	400	400	Rs. 20	235	
Bellary	620	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	350	
Brandis Cawnpore P. Co., Ld	0	200	200	Rs. 16	117½	
Bombay Cotton Press	100	125	125	Rs. 14	118½	
Colaba Press Co.	0	1,880	1,880	Rs. 600	630	
Dholera P. & G. Co.	0	330	330	12	33	
East India Press Co.	0	1,000	1,000	Rs. 150	1 325	
Fort Press Co.	15	8,500	8,500	Rs. 60	1,200	
French Press Co.	30	500	500	Rs. 80	600	
Harvey & Sabapathy Co., Ld.	450	500	500	Rs. 75	450	
Khamgaum Cotton Press Co.	240	480	all	Rs. 45	365	
Manmar Manfg. Co	1,000	250	25	Rs. 10	23½	
Mercantile Press	1,500	125	125		98	
Mutual Co.	3,125	400	400	Rs. 55	457½	
New Berar Cotton Ginning & Press Co.	1,250	500	500	Rs. 60	572½	
New Indian Press	4,000	125	125	Rs 0	105	
Prince of W. Press	600	500	100	Rs. 30	320 ex v	
Sabapathy & Harvey Co. Ld., (Bellary.)	500	500	500	Rs. 75	450	
Sind Press Co.	400	2,000	750	Rs. 75	510	
Sind & Punjaub Cotton Press Co.	100	1,000	1,000	Rs. 120	1,300	
Sassoon Press Co.	350	500	500	25	500	
Volkart Press Co.	450	1,000	1,000	Rs	600 xd	

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES

Ahmedabad S. & W. Co.	1 308	1,00	1,000	...	1,375	
Albert Edward Mills Co., Ld.	1,000	5	500	Rs. 25	432½	
Anglo-Indian Spinning & Mfg. Co., Ltd.	9 345	100	100	Rs. 4	99	
Alfred Mfg. Co., Ltd.	1 000	500	500	...	355	
Ahmedabad Ginning & M. Co., Ltd.	700	1,000	1,000	..	..	
Ahmedabad Mfg. & Calico Printing Co	4 800	125	125	..	..	
Ambica S. & M. Co., Ld.	600	1,000	1,000	..	..	
Alliance Cotton Mfg. Co., Ld.	1,800	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	600	
Bellary S. & W. Mill, Ld.	871	500	500	Rs. 22½	575	
Bombay Cotton Mfg. Co., Ld.	600	500	500	Rs. 20	330	
Bombay United S. & W. Co.	900	1,000	1,000	Rs. 35	850	
Berar Manufacturing Co., Ld.	2,750	200	200	..	150	
Central India S. & W. & Mfg. Co., Ltd.	4,500	50	150	Rs. 2	950	
City of Bombay Mfg. Co., Ld.	700	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	872½	
Colaba Land & Mill Co., Ld.	4,090	700	700	Rs. 17½	775	
Connaught Mills Co., Ld.	840	500	500	Rs. 25	595	
Coorla S. & W. Co., Ld.	1,800	1,000	1,000	Rs. 35	607½	
David Mills Co., Ld.	1,600	500	350	..	320 ex	
Dhun Mills Ld.	1,000	1,700	1,000	Rs. 50	1,100	
Empress S. & W. Co., Ld.	1,415½	500	500	Rs. 25	650	
Framjee Petit S. and Mfg. Co., Ld.	1,250	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	610	
Gordon S. & Mfg. Co., Ld.	9,700	150	150	..	182½	
Goolam Baba S. & W. Co., Limited	2,000	500	500	..	300	
Guzerat Ginning & Mfg. Co., Limited	462	1,000	1,000	..	...	
Guzerat S. & W. Co., Limited	42	1,000	1,000	..	...	
Hindustan S. & W. Mills Co., Ld.	1,200	1,000	1,000	..	880	
Howard & Bullough Mills Co., Ld.	1,000	500	500	..	660	
Himmatchat Mill Co., Limited.	700	575	500	Rs. 37½	770	
Hyderabad Deccan S. & W. Co., Ld.	700	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	625	
Indian Mfg. Co., Ld	600	1,000	1,000	Rs. 8	885	
Imperial Cotton Mills Co., Limited	1 36	700	500	Rs. 25	1405	
Jamshed Mfg. Co., Limited	1,000	25	25	Rs. 15	435	
James Greaves Mill Co., Limited	1 320	50	50	Rs. 2	290 xd	
Jaffer Ali S. & W. Co., Ld., Original.. Increased ..	600	50	500		597½	
Jubilee Mills Co., Ltd.	1,483	25	25	Rs. 14	420	
Jewraj Balloo S. & W. Co., Ld.	466	1,000	200	Rs. 55	200	
Khandesh S. & W. Mills Co., Ld	1 100	1,000	1,000	Rs. 55	1090	
Khatow Makanjee S. & W. Co., Ld.	700	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	830 xd	
Lukhmidas Khimjee S. & W. Co., Ld.	1,000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 25	775 xd	
Leopold S. Blumberg & Mfg. Co. Ld	1,000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 47	800	
Madras United S. and W. Mill Co., Ld.	3,500	100	100	Rs. 5	131	
Mahaluxmi S. & W. Co., Ld.	500½	1,000	1,000	Rs. 20	...	
Manockjee Petit Mfg. Co., Limited	650	1,000	1,000	..	570	
Mazagon S. & W. Mfg. Co., Ld	5,000	250	250	Rs. 8	177½	
Morarjee Goculdas S. & W. Co., Ld.	1,200	1,000	1,000	Rs. 70	1,480	
Manockjee Petit Mfg. Co., Limited	4,050	1,000	1,000	Rs. 60	1217½	
Nelcanan Cotton Cleaning and Mfg. Co., Limited	1,300	100	100		38	
Nawab of Balia S. W. & Mfg. Co., Ld.	2,000	250	250	...	...	
New Great Eastern S. & W. Co., Ld.	1,500	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	810	
National S. & W. Co., of India, Limit-d	600	1,000	1,000	...	485	
Narayen Cotton Mills Limited	500	1,000	1,000	...	200	
Oriental S. & W. Co., Limited	5,720	625	625	Rs. 25	555	
People of India S. & Mfg. Co., Limited	1,000	250	250	Rs. 6½	135	
Presidency Mills Co., Limited	1,000	1,000	...	...	975	
Prince of Wales S. & Mfg. Co. Limited	2,189	125	125	...	75	
Queen S. & W. Co., Limited	799	1,000	1,000	Rs. 6	940	
Ripon Mfg. Co., Ld	641	1,000	1,000	Rs. 5	900	
Sassoon S.& W. Co., Ld.	1,500	1,000	1,000	...	1,500	
Sassoon and Alliance Silk Mill Co., Ld.	1,716	500	500	...	500	
Sholapore S.& W. Co Ld	800	1,000	1,000	Rs. 55	1,135	
Sonderdas S. & W Mill Co., Ld.	650	1,000	1,000	..	635	
Southern Maratta S. & W. Co., Ld.	2,400	250	250	...	230	
Swadeshi Mills Co., Ld	4,000	500	500	...	510	
Victoria Mfg. Co., Ld.	650	1,000	1,000	Rs. 20	450	
Veramgaum S. & Mfg. Co., Ld.	800	500	500	...	...	
Western India S. & Mfg. Co., Ld.	1,200	1,000	1,000	...	780	

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BIRTHS.

ADAMS—September 30, at Wilderness Road, Malabar Hill, the wife of John Adams, Esq., of twins (son and daughter).

CARPENTER—September 28, the wife of Joseph Reuben Carpenter, Mechanical Engineer at Broach, of a bouncing littleson.

MARRIAGE.

SAWYER—RUSTOMJEE—On Thursday, September 29, at Hormusji Dadabhoy Sawyer's Fire-temple, Mahaluxmee, Rustomji, eldest son of Shapurji Manockji Sawyer, Esq., to Meherbai Heerjeebhoy, granddaughter of Manockji Rustomji, Esq., of Calcutta.

DEATH.

MARZBAN—Sept. 30, at Khetwady 7th Lane, Navajbai, wife of Mr. Kavasji Fardoonji Marzban. Funeral taken place at 3 p.m., to-day (Saturday.)

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A CORRESPONDENT has opportunely called attention to the claims of Sind to a continuance of the representation upon the Legislative Council which the regretted death of Mr. Payaram Jethmal has interrupted. As to the fitness of either of the two gentlemen whom he names as suitable successor to the late member we have no opinion to offer, nor would it be seemly to offer any suggestion to the Government in regard to the personal choice that they may be disposed to make. Public opinion may, however, very becomingly intervene with a strong recommendation to the Government of Bombay not to abandon the reasonable and equitable course upon which they set out when little more than a year ago they introduced, for the first time we believe, a Sindhi gentleman into the Provincial Legislative Council. Mr. Gladstone's doctrine that the further a particular population may be from the seat of Government the greater the number of Parliamentary representatives it is entitled to, need not be taken too seriously. But there is an element of truth in it which will be at once realized when the geographical relations of Sind to the rest of the Presidency are fairly considered. The province is so out of reach that there is always a danger of its being kept out of mind. A broad expause of country which is more or less desert separates it from us; it has no direct railway communication, and it is accessible by sea only at the cost of a forty-eight hours' journey. We are not hopeful, for reasons which it is beyond the good will of administrations to remove, that the physical barriers between the Bombay Presidency and the outlying province will be easily removed. Now and again passionate appeals are made for connecting Bombay with Karachi by a railway which everybody would like to see made but which no one is quite clear as to who should pay for it. The London *Times*, we see, the day before yesterday, advocated a direct line from Rajputana to Karachi, but before doing this it must have burnt its railway map. The Government of India, who are not wanting in enthusiasm for railway extension, and who for military reasons are very much alive to the interests of Karachi, see difficulties in the way which will not disappear even at the bidding of a *Times* leader, and for some time to come, at all events, Sind must remain a detached Province of the Bombay Presidency, with imperfect communications, and with all the more need, therefore, for such strengthening of its political ties with the remainder of the Presidency as a direct representation of its interests in the Bombay Council will afford. The fact that the claims of the Province in this respect had been so long neglected strengthens the obligation to recognize them now, and it is not too much to say that the presence of a Sindhi in the Council should henceforth be a rule to which exceptions, if permitted at all, should be few and brief.

We say this without paying undue regard to the recent attempt to revive a movement in favour of the annexation of Sind to the Punjab. That movement, as we have lately shown, is founded upon a misconception of the advantages that would be gained by a change, and upon a very inadequate estimate of the benefits that Sind, a province greatly in need of commercial development, may derive from its connection with Bombay. But it must be confessed that until recently some of the advantages of which Sind was able to boast as a portion of the Bombay Presidency were potential rather than actual. It was something, no doubt, to form part of a Presidency whose laws and regulations were framed in the light of such public opinion as was brought to bear upon them by the presence in council of a few non-official legislators. But until the first Sindhi entered the Council in the person of Mr. Dayaram Jethmal Sind derived very imperfect benefit from this, and its two and a half millions of inhabitants, being unrepresented, were often unremembered. To take a case in point. No question affecting the bulk of the population has been more carefully discussed in the Bombay Council of late years than the Bombay Revenue Code Amendment Bill of last year. Whatever the merits or demerits of that measure it was freely criticised in the Council and outside, and the wants and interests of the cultivators were as adequately represented as it was possible for them to be under the present constitution of the Provincial Councils. Now much more has been done in Sind in the way of inventing and modifying the land revenue system of that Province than was contemplated in Mr. Peile's much discussed measure. And yet no opportunity was given for Sind interests to find expression before changes vitally affecting the well being of the province were carried into effect. The result has not been satisfactory. The land settlement of Sind has been carried out with a dilatoriness only exceeded by its want of continuity. The country had been annexed twenty years before anything deserving the name of a regular settlement had been introduced into any of the districts, and at the end of thirty years the frontier district and a considerable area in the Karachi and Thar and Parkar collectorates remained unsettled. The work was for many years to all intents and purposes a series of experiments, in which the mistakes of one settlement were sought to be corrected, quite tentatively and experimentally, by trying another. When a complete and systematic plan of settlement was finally decided upon—a plan which in effect pretty well condemned everything that had been done before—the Government were led to believe that five years would suffice for completing the work. More than twenty years have passed, and it is still in progress. A more vigorous public opinion than Sind has yet been able

TELEGRAMS.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

THE "*TIMES*" ON KURRACHEE.

LONDON, SEPT. 29.

The *Times*, commenting in a leading article on the present position of Kurrachee, says the decline in the prosperity of the city that is only too apparent demands the serious and prompt attention of the Government of India, and urges the speedy construction of a line of railway between Hyderabad and Pachbadra in the Marwar State, as being necessary on both commercial and military grounds.

NEW UNDER-SECRETARY FOR IRELAND.

LONDON, SEPT. 30.

Sir West Ridgeway has been appointed Under-Secretary for Ireland in the place of Major-General Sir Redvers H. Buller, resigned.

OPENING OF THE AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN REICHSTAG.

VIENNA, SEPT. 29.

The Austro-Hungarian Legislative Assembly was opened to-day by the Emperor Francis Joseph, who, in his speech from the Throne, said that the relations of the Empire with the other European Powers continue to be friendly, but the general situation of affairs in Europe requires the military power of Austria to be strengthened. She will, however, strive to maintain peace which, his Majesty said, he believed would be assured in the future.

SENTENCE ON M. SCHNAEBELE'S SON.

BERLIN, SEPT. 29.

The German Court of Law has sentenced M. Schnaebele's son to three weeks' imprisonment (in reckoning which the period he has already been detained in custody will be counted) and a fine of twenty marks.

THE AMERICAN YACHT RACE.

NEW YORK, SEPT. 29.

The second day's racing has been adjourned until to-day, owing to a heavy fog prevailing and the absence of sufficient wind.

H. E. THE VICEROY ON TOUR.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, SEPT. 30.

H. E. the Viceroy during his frontier tour will hold durbars at Quetta, Dera-Ismail-Khan and Dera-Ghazi-Khan, to which all local Chiefs will be invited to attend.

THE NIZAM'S OFFER.

The exact amount of the Nizam's offer is sixty lakhs.

In his letter his Highness, as the principal Mahomedan Chief in India, pointed out how little Islam had to hope from Russia which, alike in Europe and Asia, has been the enemy of the Mahomedan faith for centuries.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

SUEZ, SEPT. 30.

The P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Malwa, with the outward English mails of the 23rd September, left here for Bombay at 6 a.m. to-day.

COLOMBO, SEPT. 30.

The Italian steamer Bisagno left here for Bombay yesterday evening.

The same Co.'s steamer Bormida, which left Bombay on the evening of the 17th inst., arrived at Singapore this morning

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS.

LONDON, SEPT. 29.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed easier. Surats steady.

Good Fair Dhollera	3¼
The Manchester market has been quiet but steady.	
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	89½
4½ per cent. "	72½
3 per cent. Consols for account	101⅛
3½ per cent. Sterling Loan	100½
4½ per cent. French Rentes	109
Bar Silver	44½

The Bank of England returns for the week ending yesterday show the following results:—Total bullion, £20,600,000; no change; public deposits, £5,000,000; increase £100,000; other deposits, £22,000,000; increase £400,000; other securities, £20,800,000; increase, £900,000; notes and gold, £11,900,000; decrase, £200,000.

The Bank's Reserve is 44 per cent. of the Liabilities.

TELEGRAPHIC LINE REPORT.

(SEPTEMBER 30.)

STATE OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION.

GREAT BRITAIN.—*Via* Teheran, perfect. *Via* Turkey perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect.

CONTINENT OF EUROPE.—*Via* Teheran, perfect. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect.

AMERICA.—*Via* Brest, perfect. *Via* Valentia, perfect. *Via* Direct Cable, perfect.

AUSTRALIA.—*Via* Penang perfect *Via* Amoor, perfect.

CHINA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect.

Mauritius mail closes at Aden at daylight, on Sunday, second prox.

It is stated that Dr. Kavanagh, Barrister-at law, intends to take legal proceedings against the Baroda State Government for the recovery of moneys due to him for services rendered by him as agent and advocate to the late ex-Gaekwar of Baroda.

The Madrid correspondent of the *Daily Chronicle* says that a revolutionary outbreak occurred last Saturday afternoon, September 3, in one of the barracks there. The troops actually revolted, and the movement was only suppressed by the energetic attitude of the officers, many of whom, however, were implicated in the attempt. The incident has been so completely hushed up that very few people in Madrid know anything about it. The correspondent says he has the information from an official source, and is thoroughly assured of its accuracy. The Duke de Frias, the Governor of Madrid, left the capital by train immediately after the suppression of the revolt, to take a verbal report of the affair to the Queen and to Senor Sagasta.

In England great satisfaction is felt that Lord Salisbury has succeeded in "closing the book" of the Afghan negociations. Since he has done so there has been a slight improvement in the feeling between ourselves and Russia. The present tone of the Russian press in regard to Ayub Khan's escape, and all we can gather concerning Russian private opinion in respect to Dhulip Singh and Djemal-ud-Din, (writes a correspondent) is such as no objection can be taken to here. The explanation probably is that the Czar wishes to give a real proof of his desire to meet England in Central Asia, if we will only not too obstinately thwart him in Bulgaria. In that region England need not take a prominent initiative: Austria, as Lord Salisbury tells us, is the "sentinel on the ramparts."

The perennial Dr. Grace is still entitled to be called our champion cricketer. As a batsman pure and simple he has been eclipsed this season by Arthur Shrewsbury, whose spendid average of 77·2 is only second to that attained by "W. G." himself just eleven years ago; but in other respects he is still unrivalled. Now in his fortieth year, Dr. Grace has made more runs this reason than any other county player, his total being 1,405 against Shrewsbury's 1,388. He has also done most of the bowling for his county, and though Painter and Page have better averages, they have only taken twenty-six wicket between them against the champion's sixty-four. And yet this wonderful cricketer has nearly always been on the losing side, Gloucestershire having won but a single match of the fourteen played.

Mr. J. M. Maclean should make some attempt at correcting the manners of the County Court Judge at Oldham, who has been delivering himself of his opinions anent commercial travellers. In a case before him the other day a witness said that his profession was that of a "commercial." "You mean," said the Judge, "a touter—a man who travels about the country touting for orders." The witness protested against the opprobrious term "tout," saying that a commercial traveller was a respectable man of business, whereas a tout was usually a low character; but the Judge roughly informed him that "there was no difference between them." *Truth* is very severe upon the Judge. It says:—"A reproach of this sort comes with singularly bad grace from a County Court Judge, for there is certainly no body of men who tout so persistently and unscrupulously for briefs or appointments as barristers. In fact, had it not been for touting, one may reasonably doubt whether Judge Hulton would ever have been raised to a position in which he seems incapable of comporting himself with civility or discretion. Some of our ablest business men have been commercial travellers; and there is no doubt that the majority of our commercial travellers—who, as a class, are a highly respectable and respected body—are far more honourable and gentlemanly than, judging from recent experiences, some of our County Court Judges."

SERIOUS RIOT BETWEEN HINDOOS AND MAHOMEDANS AT UJJAIN.

A correspondent writing to us from Ujjain gives the following account of a fatal riot which has taken place at Ujjain, in connection with the celebration of the Dessehra and Mohurrum:—

A serious riot took place during the Mohurrum and Dasehra festivals between Hindoos and Mussulmans, in which two Mahomedans were killed and eight seriously wounded. The latter are lying in a precarious state in the charitable hospital at Ujjain.

Before the commencement of the Mohurrum the Mahomedans had obtained permission from the city Magistrate, Mr. Muthrapersad, to erect a cloth pavilion before their Taziyazs, as they do every year; but on the 25th instant the Hindoos took the procession of their Ashtamu pooja with drums, and liquor was sprinkled before the Tazayazs. Against this the Mussulmans protested. The city magistrate and other Hindoo officials were with the procession, and they remonstrated with the Mahomedans, urging them to let the procession pass by. This wounded the feelings of the Musulmans, and they immediately stopped the Mohurrum ceremonies and kept themselves in readiness to avenge the insult. On the 26th they made an attack on the Dessehra procession and knocked down the Mahakal, which was being carried in a palkee. Many Hindoos were seriously wounded in the fracas.

The market is closed and the feeling on both sides is dangerously high.

The police and judicial arrangements were very poor. Sir M. Felose tried his best to suppress the affray, otherwise it would have been much more serious. There is a prospect of another riot on the last day.

CRICKET.

BOMBAY *VS.* POONA.

The return match between Bombay aad Poona commenced yesterday on the Gymkhana ground. Just before the hour fixed for the game, the rain came down in pretty heavy showers and it was thought that the match would not come off, but fortunately it ceased and the ground, as usual, soon drying, the game was opened at 12 o'clock. The Poona team is not a strong one, at least not as good as that which played and beat Bombay at Poona. Colonel Becher and Captain Metcalfe were unable (the one through injuries and the other through having to attend to his duties), to play and they were a loss to the visitors. However in their first innings Poona made 103, Carpenter contributing 24, Bush 20, and Vincent 18 to this. In what they had of their first turn Bombay made 65 for two wickets. Holland, 41 not out, for some very good play, and Gould added 14 to the total. Play will be resumed this morning at eleven o'clock.

The following are the details of play:—

Shortly after 12 o'clock, when the rain had ceased the game was commenced. Poona having lost the toss were sent in, and were represented at the wickets by Mainwaring and Rice, who batted the bowling of Holland and Brooks. At the start the batsman played a most careful game and two maidens were bowled in succession. In the third over from Holland, Mainwaring failed to play a "yorker" and was clean bowled. Carpenter filled the vacancy and the same careful play marked the next half hour, during which time only five runs were made, chiefly off Brooks by Rice. After a dull succession of singles credited to either player, Rice cut Holland through the slips for two. To this he added three off Brooks' next over. After adding yet another single to his score and being let off twice, once by Yately and another time behind the wickets, Rice was bowled by Brooks (16-2-10.) Phayre now joined Carpenter. The latter at once cut Holland to the "off" and obtained three for an overthrow. With the next ball Holland clean disposed of Phayre, who had failed to open his account. (19-3-0.) Lindner succeeded to the vacant wicket. The game had now proceeded an hour, when Carpenter scored a couple off Holland and brought 20 up. He began to play more freely and Lindner followed suit. Between them they knocked up ten during the next two overs, four of these being credited to Lindner, a cut off Holland. When the score was 37, Lindner paid the penalty for having failed to stop a ball from Holland. (37-4-7.) Bush was Carpenter's next partner and between them they soon advanced the score to 50. Here Brooks went off for Macbeth, but in the new man's first over Bush hit him to leg for a pretty 4. Carpenter shortly after put up one from Macbeth which Yately, at point, took advantage off and held well (5-55-24.) Gordon followed in but before he could get a chance he was run out while responding to a call from Bush for a short hit he made off Holland. (6-55-0.) The seventh wicket was Vincent. Nothing worthy of note occurred during the next few overs, a single ring being credited to Bush At a quarter to two an adjournment was made for lunch.

When play was resumed after tiffin, the game was very slow, the wicket playing bumpy and the batsmen carefully guarding their wickets. After a quarter of an hour, Bush played better, and assisted by Vincent, who obtained a quartette off Macbeth quickly raised the score to 70. At this stage Yately came on instead of Macbeth. After bowling a maiden, Yately disposed of Bush, when the score stood at 74, 20 of which were credited to the returning batsman. Vincent and Pottinger were now together, and during their partnership which lasted but ten minutes added eleven runs. O'Shea, who had now relieved Holland, brought about a separation, as Pottinger cut him into the slips where Holland caught him. (185-8-5) Clifton went on and commenced brilliantly with some good hard hits which soon brought 90 up on the telegraph board. A few more similar strokkes advanced the score to 100 when Yately clean bowled Clifton. (100-9-13). Anderson followed in and Holland went on again in the room of O'Shea. After three more runs had been added Anderson put up a ball from Holland which Blackwell at beg caught (103-10-3). The follawing is the analysis of the bowling the Poona team had to contend with:—

	Balls.	Runs.	Maidens.	Wickets.
Holland	137	30	21	4
Brook's *	68	23	8	1
Macbeth	40	21	21	3
Yately	44	14	5	2
O'Shea	16	12	1	1

* Bowled one wide.

With only an hour and a half to play, Bombay went in at 4 p.m. for their first turn. Yately and Forrest to the bowling of Lindner and Clifton. After two maidens had been trundled down, Yately made a good beginning by hitting Lindner to deep field for four. He followed this up with a similar stroke for a like amount. After about twenty minutes play Yately hit a ball from Lindner into the hands of Rice at point. (10-1-9) Holland followed in and at once opened his score with three off Lindner, to this be added yet another triplet and a four, his partner meanwhile scoring but one single, and contributing much to Clifton bowling down eight maidens in ten overs. At 24 Anderson went on instead of Lidner. In running for a hit made by Holland off the new bowler, Forrest was stumped by Carpenter behind the wickets. Forrest had been in for three quarters of an hour and had only made one run all that time. (26-2-1.) Gould now associated with Holland, the two soon collared the bowling and runs came merrily. A four credited to Holland brought 30 up, and soon after 40 was signalled. Clifton's bowling came in for the least punishment, his analysis showing eighteen overs for twenty-one runs and ten maidens. Lindner now came on instead of Anderson. A four to Gould and three twos by Holland brought 50 up. During the half hour before stumps were drawn 15 more runs were made, Holland being credited with the most of them. When stumps were drawn at 5-30, the game stood 65 for two wickets.

The following are the scores and analysis:—

POONA.

1st Innings.

Mainwaring, b Holland	0
Rice, b Brooks	10
Carpenter, c Yately, b Macbeth	24
Phayre, b Holland	0
Lindner, b Holland	7
Bush, b Yately	20
Gordon, run out	0
Vincent, not out	18
Pottinger, c Holland, b O'Shea	5
Clifton, b Yately	13
Anderson, c Blackwell, b Holland	3
Extras	3
Total	103

BOMBAY.

1st Innings.

Forrest, run rat	1
Yately, c Rice, b Lindner	9
Holland, not out	41
Gould, not out	14
O'Shea Blackwell, Macbeth, Penny, Cobbold, Glazebrook, and Brooks, to bat	
Total	65

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	Balls.	Runs.	Maiden.	Wickets.
Lindner	52	30	4	1
Clifton	88	27	12	0
Anderson	36	6	6	0
Gordon	4	2	0	0

BOMBA GYMKHANA.

SINGLE RACQUETS TOURNAMENT.

The match to-day at 4-30 p.m. is F. T. Rickards *vs.* A. C. Walker.

VISITORS TO POONA will find every House and Table Requirement, at the Poona Establishment of PHILLIPS & Co., Ld.

DESERTED LONDON.

(FROM OUR LADY CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, SEPT. 8.

If there is one thing really depressing in this world, it is to return from the country when *al fresco* fetes are yet in full swing and autumn pleasures and toilettes are still in the ascendant, and find poor dear London already in the sere and yellow leaf stage of old maidenhood, deserted by her quondam lovers, her summer fineries put off, her winter mantle on—her half empty streets given over to the tender mercies of the wood pavement companies, and her forsaken mansions delivered into the hands of the house agent. This is the dreary state of things at present. We have been to the mountains like Rip Van Winkle, and though it was not for a hundred years, but a short fortnight that we were away, we come back to find ourselves antiquated in dress, strangers in our own city, ignorami in our own London that we thought we knew as thoroughly as our first story book. We begin to wonder if we are ourselves at all under these circumstances. What used to be Piccadilly, now is a mining district, with camp fires and swarthy squatters; what once was Regent circus, is now a rocky desert unpeopled except by a race of hardy, lithe, impudent little Arabs, who play pitch and toss and turn head over heels unchallenged in the middle of the roadway. Through unknown by streets we are driven to our former haunts, to find them, if not shut up altogether, so swathed in holland and old sheeting that we shudder as if each chair were a ghost parading about in its sere cloth. Perhaps we are only conveyed half way to our destination and charged double by the imperious cabby, who is sole master of the situation, and who will scarcely demean himself to direct us on our road. Generally we arrive home for dinner about an hour too late, having had a thorough if not satisfactory demonstration of the fallacy of the old saw about the longest way round being the shortest way home, which was instilled into our infant minds by anti-short-cut relatives.

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Then for fear these exhilarating adventures might beget that buoyancy of spirits experienced by travellers who open up an unknown country, there comes occasionally a reminder that we are still on the old ground—a suspicion of smoke-scented fog upon the air tells of the coming by and bye, when the unsolicited addition of a pea soup atmosphere will add piquancy to our morning's frugal roll and coffee. The heavy clouds and whistling winds deal a death blow to the few hardy geraniums that still enliven the balconies, and give final notice to quit to the leafy tenants in the parks and gardens, and now and then is paid a heavy instalment of the arrears of rain that are due after our long hot summer. The only thoroughly jolly quarter is the Strand. Rain or shine, night or day, makes no difference to its population, which is always amused because it has shops to stare at, restaurants to enjoy, busses to mount, cabs to hail, theatres to enliven, and last, but not least, money to spend. It is said that if you want an Irishman, you will find him in the Strand. You will not find him alone though, for there is an *embarras de richesses* in the matter of nationalities from morning until night, when the theatres pour forth their living stream to swell the ordinary tide of human life, that ebbs and flows unceasingly throughout the year. It is undignified not to pretend to be too *blase* to enjoy such a sight as the Strand at night, brilliantly lighted, thoroughly crowded, full of fuss and bustle, the jam of vehicles, the shouts of drivers, the reckless enthusiasm of boys in their search for missing carriages and coach men. Well, don't despise the humble pleasure so: there are enough who take it sadly and alone, poring over dry ledgers and dusty folios.

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Paul Merritt and Augustus Harris shew us "Pleasure" in another form at Drury Lane; a grand spectacular comedy-drama, as they, with princely munificence of language, call their new play. With the same munificence they scatter broadcast through the piece a series of splendid effects and thrilling scenes sufficient to set up a half dozen plays of ordinary scope. Such a profusion savours of the penny novelette and in the same way engendors waste. An offhand generous novelette maker, who introduces with unwonted liberality his villain in the first chapter, and kills him in the second, must have another ready for the third, and so on renew them to keep up the interest of the story. So it is with Messrs. Merritt and Harris. They lavishly drowned two or three Mount Lovels in the first act, then they be obliged to half kill another in an earthquake to satisfy our tragic craving in the middle, and finally revive him and marry him to make all serene in the end. Turkey carpets, gobelin hangings, diamonds and old lace, do not make a story, they only pad it; and views of Oxford, the Riviera, and Gloucestershire even with an earthquake thrown in are not sufficient to make a play of "Pleasure." It is no doubt, splendidly got up, it is interesting, it is pretty, it is lively, it is piquant, but it is broad, in fact it is improper. The Dons at Oxford will probably come to see it for old association with the scene; but, they will not bring their wives, still less their daughters, their sisters, their cousins or their aunts. The views of Oxford "outside the Sheldonian theatre" and by the "Varsity Barge" are excellent and the undergrad's rooms at suppertime are a delightful mixture of the aesthetic and heroic styles of decoration. Japanese fans and boxing gloves, fencing foils and mandolins are scattered here and there amongst books, glasses, and decanters, with that charming disorder that characterizes independent men. The hero, Jack Lovel, is played by Edward Gardiner, who might have made it a less milk and water insipid part by having to punch himself in the hero's place. Dick Deddipole is right well done by Harry Nicholls. The part may have been written for him to order; it suits his style, his humour, and his manner so thoroughly. Mr. Percy Lindal plays Prince Valvasia, Jack's supposed rival in his lady love's affections, and he makes the most of a character indifferent from either a moral or dramatic point of view. The other undergraduates are fairly represented; so are the confederates, Major Lovel and Fairweatherly, land steward to the Mount Lovel estates, who scheme to keep the New Mount Lovel from marrying the girl he ought, and to drive him to dissipation and drink, in order to kill him and secure his estates to the cousin, the Major. The dialogue is sometimes bright and witty, and one reference fetched the gallery immensely. Jack Lovel, ploughed for Smalls, is consequently thought unfit to get clerical preferment, but not unfit to take his place amongst the heriditary legislators of the country; less booklearning evidently being necessary for the cure of bodies than of souls. Miss Fannie Brough made a pretty bright American girl, Geraldine Vanderfeldt, from Boston Mass. She was ladylike, and perhaps to be truthful to the school of young America, that boasted of the number of dollers her papa intends to invest in the purchase of her husband, a little too free from the redundancy of twang and slang that distinguishes the seedlings of quickly raised millionaires from the old establised crop of the country. Smart and caustic in repartee, she made a good deal of fun with her slow but shrewd London lover.

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Miss Alma Murray, as Jessie Newland, the jilted fiancee of Lovel, was pretty but inane and disappointing, only occasionally rising to the needs of the situation. Her voice is not pleasant, her actions are ungraceful and angular, and even in the most pathetic scene, where she should fling herself imploringly at her lover's feet, she seemed to shrink from doing so naturally, for fear of tossing her dress. Rose Bouchon, the belle of Nice, played by Lily Miska, in a daring combination dress of sulphur and moss green, and one of the new extra tall hats with sulphur feathers, shading into green, was an amusing specimen of the Monte Carlo adventuress. Miss Millicent Mildmay, as Luretia Borghi, a Genoese lady gambler and fascinator, had a dress of warm grey and pink, the petticoat brocaded pink flowers on a dull grey ground. The American girl wore a pretty yellow and white satin at the battle of flowers scene at Nice. An underskirt of yellow silk covered with lace, the bodice of the satin divided below the waist into several stripes, of about four inches wide, which reached to the end of the lace skirt, reminding one of an elongated melon or some rich, colored, over ripe fruit.

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The realism of the scene of the flower battle was perfect; exquisitely decorated carriages and splendid pairs of horses were driven across the stage amidst a shower of blossoms from the crowd and a return volley from the gay occupants. The carnival ball was also delightful, and the dresses bewilderingly grand, but the grand *coup* of the night was the earthquake scene, the ominous sound, the lurid sky, the tottering furniture the quivering lamp, which, oh triumphant patentee! was advertised to be self extinguishing and really was so. We should have had another Exeter disaster if that little patent had failed to work, for nothing could extinguish the flames kindled with the vast debris of the earthquake, and such a harrowing scene as a theatrical fire does not permit of even one encore.

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To wind up a play with wedding bells, is a revival of old fashions. The bride in satin lace and orange flowers with her maids in pink and her groom the only unpicturesque bit in the whole arrangements, is interesting to some, and if not sensational enough for others, at least makes a pretty tableau on which to drop the curtain. This was the finale of "Pleasure."

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"Forewarned" they say "is forearmed," and if ever warning were necessary to preserve those Anglo Indians and others who order of home modistes their garments for the coming season from being sacrificed on a dressmaker's altar of novelty; now is the time. From Bond Street to Sloane Street, and all through the quarters of *la mode costumiers*, nothing is to be seen but plaids, stripes, and spots, of abnormal size and color; and any one of a shrinking from public gaze nature, or in fact any one who would consider checks of the Union Jack style as a little too loud and unbecoming, would be wise to mention it in good time to her dressmaker. Such vast conceptions as plaids a yard square, hats eighteen inches high, are an outbreak of the Jubilee mania, an effort of minds diseased by the hopeless search after novelty to signalize the year with what must be another monstrous Jubilee failure. I tremble to think of the patched up seams that will be the result. I shrink from the sight of the innocent victims that wear them. The poky Directoire bonnets are becoming; and when one's eye turns to the blown forward look of the trimming they will be popular. Felt, with short velvet and ribbons, and curled forward cock's feathers, are the most usual trimmings, but as in everything else variety is the chief object.

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Those who are interested in Westminster and its surroundings will enjoy the September number of the *English Illustrated*. Mr. G. F. Russell Barker gives an account of Westminster school, and Mr. Herbert Railton illustrates it with several clever little etchings of the quaint old building Burne Jones sends a study of a head—a pretty gentle faced girl's—which is engraved by W. Biscombe Gardner. Folklore is continued in the Antiquary. There is nothing besides of interest to us of commonplace minds, who fail to be amused with subjects dry as Ezekiel's vision of bones. *Le journal des Beaux Arts* is well illustrated this month, and pleasant reading to those who can tread, without stumbling, the paths of French prose.

THE CRY OF THE CHILDREN-WIDOWS

God made the light, and gave us eyes to see.
Our fathers' brothers fain would have us blind.
No movement of our bodies that is free:
No fetters like our bondage of the mind.

Outcast from every joy of love and life,
How can she know what love or life doth mean,
The widowed maiden who was never wife—
From seven to seventy years a thing unclean?

Unclean! Because her innocence is clear
As sun and moon, the child who was the light
Of home, and by all ties of nature dear,
Is stricken by a strange demoniac blight,

Inhuman, fathered by no creed or law
But cruel custom. 'O it must not be'
We cry in vain, and tears of pity draw
From alien races over land and sea.

Saved from the funeral pyre that was our doom
Sadly the thought of that release we keep;
For Death were mercy to the living tomb
Our kindred build around as while we weep.

Is there no hope of succour, strong right arm
And heart of England? Hear us, widowed Queen!
O brothers of our blood, who guard from harm
The snake that kills, and hurtful things unseen,

Slay not by inches those ye once held dear:
Your hearts are ours—if only they had eyes.
Now slowly dawns the day, a change is near.
Brave souls who best can help, arise, arise.

G. H. T.

THE QUORUM DIFFICULTY AT THE CORPORATION.

There have been frequent instances lately of Municipal meetings collapsing for want of a quorum. A meeting of the Committee of the whole Corporation was called for yesterday afternoon, to continue their deliberations on the new Municipal Bill, and the chairman (Dr. Blaney) waited for one full hour in the hope of getting a quorum; but he had eventually to adjourn it, because one member was wanting to make up the requisite number. The chairman took the opportunity to make an appeal to the Corporators to be better in their attendance, as otherwise they might not be able to send up in time their report on the Bill to Government. If the members attended in sufficient numbers to carry on the business, the labours of the committee would be concluded in only two more sittings. These meetings must be held without much more loss of time, as the report drawn up by them must have to be discussed at several meetings of the Corporation, before it was sent up to Government. It was their duty to complete their work by the time the Bombay Legislative Council met again to take the Bill in hand. Mr. Exnath Ragonath Khote asked whether they might not, at that stage, reduce the number of the quorum. The chairman replied that the Corporation might do so, if they pleased. But he trusted there was enough of public spirit in the Corporation to give them the quorum that was wanted. Tuesday is fixed for the next meeting.

A TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES.

The utility of the Cama Hospital for women and children would, no doubt, be considerably extended, as soon as the permanent living quarters and lecture room, which are now being erected in the vicinity of the institution for pupil nurses have been got ready. It was nearly a year ago that a training school for nursing and mid wifery was started in connection with the Cama Hospital, and by this time seven European and four native pupils, who have been receiving instruction there, have very nearly completed their course of study. It is very satisfactory to note that natives have taken kindly to this movement as may appear from the large number of applications that have been already made for admission into this school But no more pupils could be taken for want of sufficient house accommodation. It is in consequence found necessary by the committee of the Bombay Branch of the Countess of Dufferin's Fund to erect a building for the purpose of housing the nurses, and they decided to proceed with its construction, in anticipation of the public support which would be forthcoming in such a cause. It will appear that they were not far wrong in their calculations, as Mr. Pestonji Hormusji Cama, to whose muunificence the hospital which bears his name owes its existence, has contributed a sum of Rs. 15,000 towards the building, the total cost of which is estiuabed to amount to Rs. 25,000. It is resolved to raise a grand fancy fair in this city, probably in January next, with the object of aiding the building fund, and Her Majesty the Queen Empress has been pleased to grant her special permission to hold the fair under her patronage. Some sixteen ladies have already offered to hold stalls, three of them being natives,—Miss Bhownagree, Mrs. Jehangeer Cowasji Jehangeer and Mrs. Hariprasad Desai. It is hoped that more native ladies will come forward to give their services in aid of the project. In the meanwhile, the building intended for these nurses, is fast approaching completion. It is a pretty structure of two storeys and is erected under the superintendence of Rao Bahadoor M. C. Murzban, Executive Engineer of the Presidency. The Bombay Branch has established District Committees at Nassik, Belgaum, Bijapur, Surat, Satara, Dhulia, Godhra and Ahmedabad; and it is expected to have native women from most of these places, to he trained as nurses and midwives. The Nagpore branch alone has proposed to send six pupils, and pay all their fees. There is thus a prospect, not very remote, of natives Dais being supplanted by trained midwives and those who have any idea of the misehief which is done by many of these Dais, in consequence of their profound ignorance of their duties, will particularly appreciate the energetic action taken by the committee, over which Lady Reay so worthily presides.

JAIN VIEWS ON CREMATION.

Mr. Tallakchand Manekchand, president of the Jain Association of India, in forwarding his replies to the questions of the Municipal Commissioner regarding the cremation question, says:—

With reference to the eighteen questions submitted to me in connection with the proposed crematorium for Hindoos, I may observe that the questions are so framed as to suggest that a crematorium is sure to be introduced but that public opinion is invited as to its utility. With me, as with all Hindoos who have any knowledge of the rituals prescribed in their religious books, or who, if they have not, take the trouble of consulting their religious preceptors in connection thereto, no idea of any scientific mode for the disposal of dead bodies can find favour. It is a great wonder to me that the Municipality should even propose anything in the way of burning the dead-bodies of Hindoos in a scientific way, I have consulted the leading members and religious preceptors of the Jain community of Bombay, to which I have the honor to belong, and from such consultation I have come to the conclusion that no scientific method by way of introducing cremation cages or ovens will do for the purpose of burning dead bodies.

In the face of several Shastras of the Jain religion treating elaborately of the ceremonies to be performed before, at the time of, and after the cremation I wonder that my friend Mr. Lakhmidass Khimjee boldly comes forth and asserts that the Jain community would hail the introduction of a crematorium. I also wonder at the total absence of knowledge on the part of Mr. Lakhmidass Khimjee of the views of the Jain community with regard to the proposed crematorium. I may with confidence assert that although the Jains dissent from the Brahmanic faith, the ceremonies enjoined by the Jain books in connection with cremation are essentially the same as those prescribed by non-Jain Hindoo Shastras, and therefore the Jain community entertain a total abhorrence towards any change which may be proposed by way of substituting scientific methods of cremation in the place of the existing ones.

ADDITIONAL PASSENGERS BY THE HOMEWARD MAIL.

The P. and O. Co's. s.s. isam, Captain R. Hasselwood, sailed yesterday for London with Europe mails and the following additional passengers:—For London—Mr. C. H. Tawney, Surgeon R. A. Fibbe, Mr. J. S. Gardner, Mr. G. E. Gray, For Aden—Captain Chichester and Lieutenant Mackenzie.

A NEW GOSPEL OF CLOTHES.—III.

Dr. Jaeger in one of his essays remarks that the English word "Condition" is the only adequate term wherewith to express that state of mind and body in which the health and working power leave nothing to be desired. What is, it then, that constitutes what we mean by "Condition?" Briefly stated, it depends upon the correct proportion of the most important constituents of the body and upon certain physical properties of the living tissues. Englishmen, as a race, and especially Englishmen of the upper classes, probably pay more attention to bodily "Condition" than any other nation in the world. The intense devotion to athletics which distinguishes Englishmen in all parts of the world is our national characteristic. From the time of our boyhood our earliest dream is to excel our comrades in athletic exercises. We back ourselves as a race to run, walk, ride, swim, climb, jump, or row against any other race in the world. Up to the age of thirty every average Englishman is by his tastes and habits more or less in training and in fair condition. Nine out of every ten ordinary Englishmen have some favourite athletic pursuit, some pet physical exercise to which they devote a large share of their spare time. What with pole, cricket, tennis, badminton, and bowls going on simultaneously, and interesting all classes alike, the "Maidan" in Bombay on a "Ladies' evening" is a popular microcasm of British sport; and this intense devotion to athletics, which is our national characteristic, implies above everything else more or less careful attention to what is meant by "Condition."

If you have any doubt on the subject out with your own tape and try. You need not be unhappy at an excess of two or three inches down below, but beware when your girth measurement approaches or exceeds that of your chest. What then does this term "Condition" really imply? The question cannot properly be answered without trespassing for a moment on the medical field and considering very briefly the chief constituents of which our bodies are composed. Our doctors tell us that the principal of these constituents are albumen, fat, and water. "Albumen," says Dr. Jaeger, "is the foundation of muscle, nerve, blood, &c., and in fact sustains the existence of the body. Relatively to this substance, water and fat may be viewed simply as auxiliaries, though indispensable in themselves. A proper condition of the body requires that these three constituents shall be present in certain proportions, while the richer the body is in albumen the sounder it will be, and the fitter for work. On the other hand, any excess of water or fat will lessen its energies, and its power of repelling the action of influences likely to promote disease. * * * Imperfect action of the skin will induce with varying rapidity certain changes in the proportions of the constituents, and in the physical properties of the substance of the body."

What these changes are Dr. Jaeger describes in some detail in his essay entitled "Effects of Excess of Fat and Water in the Tissues." Foremost he places the increase of fat, which almost invariably supervenes in cases of sedentary habits of life when there is no want of food. The injurious effects of an accumulation of fat and of obesity in general are very clearly and fully described in the same publication. Fat people are usually poor blooded, and are much more susceptible to certain classes of disease than lean persons. As a rule they have far less vital energy, and are unable to do the same amount of work as those who have more blood. Fat, moreover, diminishes the necessary space for the circulation of the blood and the play of the respiratory organs. Corpulent persons are apt to become inert and limp both in body and mind, and fatty degeneration of the brain is one of the most frequent causes of imbecility and mental aberration for the reasons assigned. Dr. Jaeger insists that every one who wishes to preserve his health and working capacity should keep a strict watch whether any deposit of fat is going on in the body. If there be, recourse must be had to increased action of the skin as in his opinion the best and only appropriate remedy for gradually eliminating the evil. Dr. Jaeger especially notes on this subject that he cautions persons against the well-known "Banting cure," which consists in abstaining as much as possible from fatty or farinaceous food. He considers that this system is dangerous for persons with whom the deposit of fat has attained any considerable proportions, and even to persons who can use this cure without danger, it is far less efficacious than the agency of an active skin.

Abnormal accumulation of water in the system is, in Dr. Jaeger's opinion, quite as important as the abnormal accumulation of fat. The increase of water in the tissues is usually not so apparent as the deposit of fat, but it tends directly to increase the percentage of water in the blood, thus causing poverty of blood, and hindering the vital powers in all parts of the body. Dr. Jaeger insists on the great influence that is exercised by the proportion of water in the body on the working powers of the mind. He expresses a confident opinion that the increased percentage of water in the system intensifies the liability to sickness, and he believes that to the same cause is to be ascribed the sensitiveness to so called colds and chills of which so many persons complain in Europe and often in India. For this reason it is considered to be of the highest importance to harden the body by draining from it all superfluous water. One of the chief advantages claimed for the sanitary woollen system is, that it is the most effective known agent in maintaining the functional activity of the vascular system. "Superfluous water renders all the tissues flabby, and diminishes their power of resisting mechanical strain. Excess of water in the muscles has a disabling effect, imparting a feeling of lassitude; a watery muscle is powerless and tires quickly. Excess of water in the tissues is particularly injurious in its action on the nervous system. It increases the liability to sickness, and lessens the capacity for work, particularly mental work. Finally, a watery condition of the stomach and bowels favours the propagation of the seeds of infection in the alimentary canal. If the bodily juices are watery, diseases like cholera, dysentery, and fever, have a far greater chance of development than when the body is in fair condition."

To the man or woman who is not in condition spirt or active, exertion of any kind in India soon becomes a toil and a burden. Polo and hunting are first of all given up. Racquets is next pronounced to be a grind. Cricket slowly and sadly gives way to tennis; and tennis, alas! too often to badminton, that last excuse and petticoat apology for outdoor exercise and manly sport. As the taste for exercise decreases, so surely will a man's weight (not to say his waist) in most cases increase, and with increasing portliness, the billiard room, the band stand, and the bunder are found by degrees to offer more attractions than the gymkhana and the tennis court. Easy is the downward road. When a once active man gets fat, it is astonishing how quickly the disease begin to change. He begins to prefer petticoats to polo, and the pig's skin grows him no more. He looks on with a mild wonder at the toiling athletes who struggle from day to day at the gymkhana, and cannot for the life of him make out, why he who was once foremost in the fray is now so placidly peaceful, so utterly unambitious. We all of us like, of course, to think that we are as good men as we once were; we like to remember our former exploits, and to boast of what we intend to do in the way of exercise and hard work when we get home to a decent climate. But if we once allow ourselves to get fat and lazy, and to give up our active habits, we may be sure there is mischief going on. There is physical deterioration at work; and with want of bodily condition, comes want of tone, want of nerve, and want of energy all round. "The normal measurement round the body should," says Dr. Jaeger, "be 75 per cent. of that round the chest." In other words a man of 40 inches round the chest should, if properly proportioned, have a girth measurement of 30 inches. How many men of over 40 years of age will conform to this exacting standard.

If Dr. Jaeger is substantially right in his theory of "Condition" excess of fat and water in the system can ordinarily be corrected in India by the adoption of a reasonable habit of life. Dr. Jaeger's plan of dealing with these evils is simplicity itself in India, where very little effort is needed to excite the functional activity of the skin. In a mo

have nothing to do with it. Thus the triumphant application of the case of the London University to our University cannot, I am sorry, be maintained.

"Enough" does not appear to give credit to his readers with even a slight acquaintance with logic, or he would not at all have used in support of his case the instances of grace passed by the Senate and the admission of casual students to Colleges. Because the act of Incorporation of our University says "except by special order of the Senate, &c., " we are justified in holding that all Matriculated students can take their degrees without keeping any terms." Fine logic this. If "Enough" had simply considered how great had been the difficulty even in deserving cases to show why a candidate deserves a special grace, he would not have given any wide application to these exceptional cases. These exceptional cases more emphatically assert the general rule of keeping terms, such arguments must be reserved until our University does away with its terms. Nobody holds that entrance in the College means entrance in the University, if the student has not passed his Matriculation, and I shall thus leave off the case of the casual students which proves nothing. We cannot lose sight of the fact that the cases of the British Universities do not exactly apply to our University. Our University is Oxford, minus its teaching; it is London, plus our terms, and so on. Nowhere perhaps in Britain do we find Matriculation which as here, is, in the words of Mr. E. Giles "an examination for admission to the public service which happens to be identical with the examination for admission to the University." I would therefore venture to suggest to the President of the "Bombay Undergraduates' Association" to apply to the University to have the term "Undergraduate" exactly defined. The Association need not be afraid of a name, the good work it does cannot be the less valuable even if it has any other name. No one will be more glad to see the broader signification of the word "Undergraduate" accepted by the proper authorities than

R. B.

[This correspondence must cease.—ED. *B., G.*]

THE HINDUS AND CREMATION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—The proposed introduction of scientific cremation in Bombay has thrown a large number of the orthodox Hindu community into consternation, Numberless objections—more imaginary than real—are raised against the proposed mode of cremating the pauper dead, and in some quarters, staunch advocates of orthodoxy are working themselves up to strenuous, though quite unnecessary efforts with a view to thwart the erection of a crematorium. It would have been in way on astonishing if this agitation against the much-dreaded crematorium were confined only to the unthinking and the ignorant; but it is a very unfortunate circumstance that some of the so-called educated, and in a way, influential Hindu gentlemen have allowed themselves to be carried away by the unfounded fears and unreasonable religious prejudice. In fact it is these persons alone who have been fomenting this agitation and trying to give it the strength of their intelligence and the weight of their position. Few as these individuals are, they are misleading the unthinking and the thoughtless. So long as the common people had not seen what a crematorium is like, and were consequently entirely ignorant about its working and construction, these blind leaders of the blind worked upon the fears and feelings of their simple and guileless followers, who were thus inspired with a nameless horror of the *infernal bhatti*; but when a model crematorium was shown, and its working and construction were explained to them in a public lecture, most of their fears were allayed and prejudices removed. They came to understand that the crematorium was after all, not what had been represented to them—an infernal piece of machinery devised for the devilish purpose of cutting and hewing the dead bodies burnt in it! Much of this misunderstanding has been removed, and in course of time, it will be removed entirely. What remains now is a part of strong religious superstition.

As I have said above numerous religious objections are raised against the crematorium. The principal of these, and, therefore, the most favourite with the opponents of scientific cremation, is the defiling touch of *iron* which, it is said, is quite unavoidable in the cremation chamber. Your local correspondent R. D. D. has in your issue of yesterday, brought forward this very objection. He says that in my recent lecture in the F. C. College Hall he asked me how I explained this objection, but that I was not able to render any explanation. I do not remember to have been asked any such explanation; perhaps, it was asked of me about the time when the people were leaving the hall and so it escaped my attention. However if my friend "R. D. D." had been patient enough to have remained behind (as many others did) for the purpose of asking any such queries, I should have been most happy to do my best in the way of satisfying him. However, it is "better late than never." The objection is put forward and it must be answered.

I may say that the explanation is in a nut shell. It is alleged that the Hindu Shastra's pronounce the touch of iron to be the greatest defilement to a Hindu corpse. This pollution of the dead is stated to be the gravest and the most impious. And yet strange to say that in the Hindu burning ground on the Back Bay, heavy iron screws, of about five feet in height, and three inches in cross-section, and small iron benches, have been for years past in constant use. The screws are used in keeping the funeral pyre in position and the benches in supporting the same. Each pyre requires four of the former and two of the latter. It is very well known that in defiance of the Shastra's, both these modern—I might justly say recent—inventions are much in demand; so much so that even high caste Brahmins do not feel the slightest compunction in using them. The worst of it is—and it requires to be stated in defiance of truth—that the same sets of these appliances are used for the dead bodies of Brahmins and Shudras burnt at Sonapur. Your orthodox correspondent has only to go over to Sonapur if he wishes to convince himself of the truth of my statement. And it is for him to harmonise the ancient Shastras with the modern customs of the Hindus. To my mind the explanation is quite clear, and it is this, that if the injunctions of the Shastras (and I am a great respector of the scriptures of every nation) are to be verbally interpreted and severally observed, the ancient religious customs and practices, however, "old and time-honoured" can never be in harmony with the requirements of modern life. Need I say that our present mode of cremation is quite unscientific, most primitive and, as proved by the introduction of the screw and the bench—ay, of iron too—admits of much improvement.

At the same time if the touch of iron is so very shocking to the religious prejudices of the orthodox Hindu, the iron grating in the crematorium can easily be replaced by some other cheap metal, an alloy or pure, that has its melting point high enough to stand the heat in the furnace. I am inclined to believe that copper would suit the purpose, provided the Shastra's admit or the people tolerate it. Nay, all metal can be dispensed with and the grating can be of stone or some kind of masonry. I say this merely as suggestive of the various modifications that it may be necessary to effect in the European plan of the crematorium, before it can suit the requirements of its Hindu advocates. One or two such modifications have already been made in the model, I exhibited in the lecture; and the Municipal authorities would be only too happy to carry out more, if they are duly informed by the Hindu public.

There is another point that has been misunderstood by many. It has often been stated that the present crematorium is to be erected for the dead of the poor and the unclaimed, and another one for such as may be willing to avail themselves of it. There is no compulsion whatever in the matter, and yet even educated Hindu gentleman think that the Municipal authorities are going to force a crematorium on the Hindu public. Even your correspondent, who is perhaps a University graduate, seems to cherish some distant dread of the same kind. This fear is absurd and without the least foundation. As it is, the dead bodies of the poor and the unclaimed are at present buried instead of being burnt. On their way to the burial ground they are handled—I am afraid often very heartlessly—by the lower than the lowest, viz, the *Mahars, dheds* and *bhangas*! Evidently they are huddled instead of being interred under the ground. For such there was no alternative, and the Hindu public ought to have hailed with satisfaction the proposal of the Municipal Commissioner to cremate the pauper dead. For certainly it cannot be more un-Hindu to be burnt in a decent crematorium than to be carelessly huddled under the ground—here to lie rotting for years together!

Further on in an exurberant fit of sentimental benevolence, your correspondent recommends to the Commissioner that the pauper dead should be burnt accordingly to the "old and time-honoured" custom of cremation! It is not easy to guess how far and how much is meant by the tickish expression "old and time-honoured." May I ask if it means that the Municipal authorities should engage Bramins to go through the whole of the funeral cemonial, if not to celebrate the *Shraddha* in due time? Such benevolent advice sounds pleasant and is easy to give. But hard facts every day prove that its observance is rare if not romantic. Why! even these leaders of othodoxy, never troubled themselves with the un-Hindu mode in which the pauper dead in Bombay have been so long disposed of. And yet it is these very leaders who are at present posing themselves before the public as champions of obsolete Hinduism, and are so diligent in getting up a resentful demonstration against the truly humane and highly prudent proposal of Mr. Charles, the Municipal Commissioner of Bombay. It is time and patience alone that can convince our people about the convenience of a crematorium, the erection of which is a question of time only. In the meanwhile it is the highest duty of every educated Hindu to educate the public opinion on this as on many a weightier question of public importance.—Yours, &c.,

B. NAGARKAR.

Girgaum, Sept. 30.

AMONG the strange incidents of the Exeter Theatre fire is one which, now occurring in real life, has been used at least twice for purposes of fiction. It is related that one of the terrified occupants of the house used his utmost endeavours to rescue a woman who was clinging to his back, in the belief that she was his wife, and that when he reached the street he discovered she was some one else, and that his wife had been burned to death. Readers of Whyte Melville will remember that in "Rosine" is recorded an almost precisely similar incident, whereby the Wolverine secures her rescue from a dangerous crowd by dexterously supplanting on Pierre's back the hero's sweetheart. In a Christmas tale published by one of the illustrated papers two or three years ago the situation was used again in almost exactly the same fashion.

CALENDAR—OCTOBER, 1887.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

Full Moon	October	2nd,	8h. 38·6m. a.m
Last Quarter	,,	10th,	9h. 44·7m. a.m.
New Moon	,,	17th,	3h. 29·3m. a.m.
First Quarter	,,	23rd,	10h. 57·1m. p.m.

Days.	Engagements, &c.	Sun-Rise.	Sun-Set.	High Water.	Low Water.
		H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.
Sat. 1	Cricket: Carlton vs. Y. M. C. A. Hyderabad S. and W. Co., Meeting 3 p.m. Harvey & Sabapathy Co., Meeting, 3 p.m. Geyer and Co., Bunding, 3 p.m. Breul's Cawnpore Cotton Pressing Co., Meeting, 3·30 p.m. Stanley's Opera Bouffe and Pantomime Co., Gaiety Theatre. (Cricket: Bombay vs. Poona (return match.)	5 52	5 48	11 2m 11 21 a	4 47m 5 9 a
Sun. 2	17th Sunday after Trinity.	5 52	5 47	11 29m 11 54 a	5 1m 5 32 a
Mon. 3	Presidency Mills Co., Meeting, 3 p.m. Municipal Corporation, 3 p.m. Polo: Bombay vs. the 7th Hussars, 4 p.m.	5 53	5 46	11 55m —	5 42m 5 54 a
Tu. 4	English mail expected per s.s. Cathay.* Polo: Poona vs. the Nizam's team.	5 53	5 45	0 23m 0 20 a	6 7m 6 15 a
Wed. 5	Town Council, 3 p.m. Delhi and Northern India Flour Mills, Meeting, 3 p.m. Anglo-Indian S. and M. Co., Meeting, 4-30 p.m. Mennessinger's Smoking Concert, Gymkhana Pavilion, 9-30 p.m.	5 53	5 45	0 51m 0 45 a	6 32m 6 37 a
Thr. 6	Polo.	5 53	5 44	1 20m 1 12 a	6 58m 7 4 a
Fri. 7	Departure of the English mail per s. s. Ballarat.	5 53	5 43	1 51m 1 41 a	7 26m 7 36 a

* Left Aden at 9 a.m. on Wednesday, 28th instant.

DIVINE SERVICES.

17TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY, OCTOBER 2.

ST. THOMAS' CATHEDRAL.

7-30 a.m.—Matins.

8 a.m.—Holy Communion (Choral)—Hymns 34, 323 and 311 part 2.

10-30 a.m.—Litany with plain Celebration and Sermon by the Rev. A. Goldwyer Lewis.

4-45 p.m.—Sunday School.

6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon by the Right Rev. the Lord Bishop of Bombay.—Hymns 221 and 370.

Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis—Simper in F.

Anthem.—"In the beginning was the Word."—Allen.

Daily Matins at 6-45 a.m. and Evensong at 4-45 p.m.

7-15 a.m.—Thursday—Usual Celebration.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, MALABAR HILL.

7-30 a.m.—Matins and Holy Communion.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, COLABA.

7 a.m.—Parade Service.—Matins and Sermon.—Hymns 4, 173 and 255.

8 a.m.—Celebration of Holy Communion.

6 p.m.—Choral, Evensong and Sermon. Hymns 279, 200 and 256.

INDO-BRITISH INSTITUTION, ESPLANADE, FOR HOLY TRINITY CHURCH.

7-45 a.m.—Celebration of the Holy Communion and Sermon.—Hymns 244, 261 and 255.

5 p.m.—Sunday School.

6 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.—Hymns 275, 196 and 423.

The offertories for church expenses and poor relief.

CHRIST CHURCH, BYCULLA.

11 a.m.—Morning Service, Celebration of Holy Communion and Sermon.—Hymns 1, 191 and 270.

6 p.m.—Evening Service and Sermon.—Hymns 228, 285 and 31.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, PAREL.

7-30 a.m.—Holy Communion.

8 a.m.—Matins and Sermon.

5 p.m.—Sunday School.

6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.

Anthem.—"But the Lord is mindful."

MISSION CHURCH, GIRGAUM.

11 a.m.—Morning Prayer, Sermon and Holy Communion.—Hymns 515; 223 and 340.

4-30 p.m.—Sunday School.

6 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.—Hymns 148, 58 and 66.

Wednesday, October 5.

6 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.

CHURCH OF SCOTLAND.

9 a.m.—B. B. and C. I. Railway Institute, Parel.

6 p.m.—St. Andrew's Church, Fort.

Hymns 128, 275 and 250; Psalm 61; Chant 1.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH.

Colaba Causeway.

7 a.m. and 6 p.m.—Rev. C. W. Clutterbuck.

4-30 p.m.—Sunday School.

Byculla, next to Victoria Gardens, Special Opening.

11 a.m. and 6 p.m.—General A. H. E. Campbell.

4-30 p.m.—Sunday School.

Parel, Elphinstone Road.

9 a.m. and 6 p.m.—Mr. Francis Patell.

4-30 p.m.—Sunday School.

Cordial invitation to all.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, KAMATIPURA.

7-30 a.m.—Holy Communion.

4-45 p.m.—Sunday School.

6 p.m.—Evening Service.—Hymns 36, 82 and 252.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

SERVICE will be held on board the s.s. Hampstead in the Prince's Dock, on Sunday morning, at eleven o'clock. Captains, officers, engineers, seamen and others are cordially invited. The Bethel flag will be hoisted.

TELEGRAPHIC WEATHER REPORT.

SIMLA, Sept. 30.—Very little change has occurred during the last twent-four hours. The rise noticed yesterday has extended to almost all parts of India, but it is slight and uniform, and the distribution of pressure is practically unaltered. Readings range from 30·08 at Cochin, to 29·78 at Sialkote; an usually large difference at this season. The wind is south-west and southerly up the Indus Valley and over the Punjab, it is westerly and north-westerly elsewhere. The temperature has changed, irregular humidity still rising over North-Western India, particularly on the hills. The sky is clear in Upper India and moderately clear generally.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—SEPTEMBER 30.

Pottinger, Voty-Surgn, Bo A V D, on leave, from Poona.

Mainwaring, Lt, Bo Rl Dub Fus, on leave, from Poona.

Willoughby, Lt-Col, Bo, 3rd Bo Cavy, on duty, from Neemuch.

Massy, Capt Bl R A, on leave, from Calcutta.

DEPARTURES.—SEPTEMBER 30.

Cunningham, R Mr, Bo. 7th Dn Guards, on leave, to Australia.

Mackenzie, Lt, Bo, N Staff Regt., from leave, to Aden.

Chichester, Capt, Bo, 2nd N Staff Regt, to rejoin at Aden.

Willock, Lt-Col, Bl, 3rd Bo. Cavy, on leave, to Karachi.

Vibart, Major, Bl R A, to England.

Harrison, Capt, Bo, 2nd E York Regt, to England.

Rogers, Lt, Bo, K O Wiltshire L I, on duty, to Deolali.

Massy, Capt, Bl R A, on leave to England.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

By Lieut-Col. The Hon. L. H. Bayley, Commandant, B.V.R.C.

Bombay, 1st October, 1887.

1. As the Drill Season is approaching Officers Commanding Companies are requested to send in as early as possible rolls of their Companies corrected up to date. No arms or accoutrements can be issued until the corrected rolls are received.

BOMBAY LIGHT HORSE.

The following orders are notified:—

2. There will be practice for Recruits at Colaba this day Saturday, the 1st October, commencing at 4 p.m.

3. Sergt J Armstrong having resigned on departure from Bombay, is struck off the strength of Corps from this day.

4. The following promotions are sanctioned:—

Lance Corporals G W Moir and J. M. Ryrie, to be Corporals to complete establishment.

Troopers W. Greaves, T. Rogers, and F. A. Reddie, to be Lance Corporals to complete establishment.

By Order,

(Sd.) EUST. FERRERS NICHOLSON, Capt.,
Officiating Adjutant, B.V.R. Corps.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY.

BOMBAY, 29th September, 1887.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m., and 20 p.m.

Barometer corrected 32 deg. Fah.	29·926
Temperature of the Air	77·8
Wet Bulb Thermometer	74·3
Dew Point	73·0
Relative humidity of Air	·852
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky clouded=10)	2·8
Maximum temperature of air (read at 8 p.m.)	81·4
Minimum do. do. (read at 10 a.m.)	73·9
General Directions of Wind*	NNW, E, WNW, NW, NNW.
Movement of wind in 24 hours*	180
Fall of Rain	0·10
Total fall during month	18·23
Total do. since January 1st	90·28
Additional fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 30th Sept.	0·00

* From midnight to midnight.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE steamer Govino, 1,454 tons, Captain S Brotherton, arrived in Bombay, on Thursday evening last, from London (August 25), whence she has brought a general cargo. She had also on board two passengers—Messrs Ardeshir and Jamsetji.

THE B I S N Co's steamer Pachumba, sailed yesterday under Captain J W Livingstone, for the Coast Ports and Karachi, laden with cargo and the following passengers:—Mr and Mrs W S MacLellan, for C Mandvi; Col Willock and Mr W Brewtey and one servant for Karachi: and sixty-two on deck for various ports.

THE following is the list of passengers per Italian Mail steamer Singapore, Captain G Parodi, sailing on the 1st October:—For Genoa—Col E and Mrs Vibart, Miss Hall, Mrs Mackay and infant, Colonel Grant, and Misses Grant, Mrs Hogg and child, and one European Nurse, Master Ernest Gardiner Rev Worthington Jukes, Mr E M Macphail, Mr and Mrs J Anderson, C S, and one European maid, Revd Villore, Rev Tomaso, Mr C Sidgewick. For Aden—Mr Jose Vedal and 18 deck passengers.

THE B I steamer Assyria, Captain J B Macfadyon, which arrived in Bombay harbour yesterday morning, from the Persian Gulf and Karachi (September 17), with a general cargo and 145 horses. The following are the passengers:—Mrs Hogg and two children, Surgeon R A Litch, R N, Messrs H P Jacob, B J Padsha, G P Waller, K Lalvani, Mr and Mrs D R Framroze, Mrs Sorabji Jamshedji, Mr Bhewandas and friend, one native officer, 19th Bo I, and 78 deck.

THE ZANZIBAR MAILS.

THE Sultan of Zanzibar steamer Nyanza, 1,421 tons, Captain M Simons, sailed yesterday afternoon, for Zanzibar direct with mails, a general cargo, and the following four first class and nine-and-a-half more deck passengers on board:—Mr Muncherji Pestonji, Mr Norosji Furdonji, Mr F Pegado and Mr M Pegado.

DEPARTURE OF THE CHINA AND AUSTRALIAN MAILS.

THE P and O steamer Ancona, 1,888 tons, which sails under the command of Captain W J Webber, with the China and Australian mails, takes with her the following passengers:—Captain A Russell, Mr W Kennedy and Mr Cunningham for Sydney; Mr G W Fryer for Melbourne; Mr B B Eranee, Mr R H Pestonji, Mr F H Pestonji and Mr H D Griffins for Singapore; Mr and Mrs Wroughton, Miss Augus, Mrs Povab, and servant and Mr Pedriet for Colombo.

VESSELS IN THE PRINCE'S DOCK.

30TH SEPTEMBER, 1887.

Vessels.	Net Tonnage	Captains.	Sheds.	Company or Agents.
S.S. Dragoman	1839	J. B. Rose	A	K. Nixon & Co.
,, Persia	2317	R. Hutchinson	B	W & A. Graham & Co.
,, Ancona	1827	Webber	C	P. and O. Co.
,, Europa	1492	R Jones	E	K. Nixon & Co.
,, Clan Forbes	1591	S. Beer	G	F. Muir & Co.
,, Hampstead	1447	E. Jones	H J	J. Mackintosh & Co.
,, Singapore	2401	G. Parodi	K	F. Bezzoni.
,, Banglore	1309	J. Baldwin	L	Hajee Cassum Joosub.
,, Merton Hall	2058	C. Barnes	M	E. Bares.
,, Eastbourne	1509	J. Watson	N	Beyts Craig & Co
,, Etolia	2044	Gill	O	K. Nixon & Co.
,, Niagara	1738	B. Cottier	P	K. Nixon & Co.
,, Nedjed	1	J. M. Reid	Q	R. Framjee.
,, Clan Munro	1437	Jones	Ibis	F. Muir & Co.

ARRIVALS.

Sept.	Vessel.	Commander	From.
29	Govino (s)	Brotherton	London, Aug. 25.
30	Assyria (s)	Macfadyen	Karachi & Persian Gulf, Sept. 17.

DEPARTURES.

Sept.	Vessel.	Commander	Destination.
30	Nizam (s)	Hazelwood	London, &c.
	Pachumba (s)	Livingstone	Coast and Karachi.
	Heros (barque)	Lafrenaise	Zanzibar.
	Chilka (s)	Ganning	Calcutta.
	Nyanza (s)	Simons	Zanzibar.

The following vessels were cleared out yesterday:—
Steamer Bangalore, Baldwin, for Aden and Jeddah.
,, Ancona, Webber, for China and Australia.

The steamer Balaarat was entered yesterday for London, &c.

CALCUTTA.

ARRIVALS.

Sept.
26 Champenois ..... Henriot ..... , Aug. 3.
,, Bancoorna ..... Brown ..... Melbourne, Aug. 20.
,, Euphrates ..... Brown ..... Rangoon, Sept. 19.

DEPARTURES.

Sept. 28—Steamer Port Jackson, ship Cæsarea and barque John Davie.

VESSELS IN BOMBAY HARBOUR.*

FOR LONDON.

2667 Ballaarat (s), Tomlie.

FOR LIVERPOOL VIA MARSEILLES.

2036 Etolia (s), Gill.

FOR LONDON VIA KARACHI.

1454 Kerbela (s), Stuart.

FOR PORTSAID, MARSEILLES, AND LIVERPOOL.

2647 Merton Hall (s), Barnes.

FOR MARSEILLES, &c.

2102 Australia (s), Nantes.
2318 Persia (s), Hutchison.

FOR ANTWERP AND MARSEILLES.

2284 Kt. Errant (s), Mathews.

FOR GENOA, &c.

2967 Singapore (s), Parodi.

FOR U. K. OR CONTINENT.

1494 Europa (s), Jones.

FOR HAVRE.

2044 Niagara (s), Cottier.

FOR DUNKIRK.

1738 Nedjed (s), Reid.

FOR CHITTAGONG.

1275 John O'Gaunt, Powles.

FOR CHITTAGONG AND MAURITIUS.

231 Okenbury, Mathew.

FOR CAPE NATAL.

284 Paula, Bruman.

FOR BELFAST.

1437 Clan Monroe (s), Jones.

FOR CHINA.

1515 Kashgar (s), Gadd.
1419 Khiva (s) Bisson.
1599 Venetia (s), Cole.

FOR MUSCAT.

1375 Storm Queen (s), Irwin.

FOR MOULMEIN.

1450 Hampstead (s), Jones.

FOR CALCUTTA.

2033 Bonvenue, Moddral.

UNFIXED.

STEAMERS.

1490 Boskenna Bay (s), Legg.
1504 Bryn Glas (s), Bethell.
1521 Clan Forbes (s), Beer.
1539 Diagonnes (s), Rose.
1592 Eastbourne (s), Watson.
1375 Empire (s), Davies.
1091 Timavo (s), Rasevich.

SHIPS.

408 Elisss, Chaddock.
2349 Silver, Davies.
1822 Kelat, Mackay.

GOVERNMENT STEAMERS.

— I. M. S. Amberwitch.
— I. M. S. Investigator, Carpenter.
— I. M. S. Lawrence, Jones.

* Coasting Steamers and Country Ships not included.

VESSELS EXPECTED AT BOMBAY.

SHIPS FROM HOME PORTS.

1730 Altmore, Wyke—Clyde, July 8.
1385 Sierra Morena, Spence—Penarth, July 18.
1908 Scottish Isles, Carey—Clyde, July 21.
1824 Lowther Castle, Scarbo—Cardiff, July 22.
1527 Bay of Bengal, Latta—Cardiff, July 28.
1620 Sierra Pedrosa, Turner—Cardiff, Aug. 5.
1690 Lodestar, Knowlan—Hull, Aug. 6.
1462 Orpheus, Young—Glasgow, Aug. 9.
1808 Sierra Miranda, Mesnard—Cardiff, Aug. 20.
1518 Sierra Parima, Wishart—Penarth, Sept. 7.
1800 Oceana—Glasgow.
1684 Sierra Lucina—Cardiff.
2282 Bay of Panama, M'Cann—Cardiff.
2009 Buchanan—Glasgow.
1437 Ocean, Beale—Cardiff.
1518 Kate Thomas, Williams—Cardiff.
2034 China—Glasgow.

FROM OUT PORTS.

889 Alice, Swain—New York, July 16.

STEAMERS

SHORTLY DUE.

1474 Bisagno—Hongkong—Left Suez Canal Sept. 10—Left Penang Sept. 23.
2441 Inspector—Hongkong—Left Suez Canal Sept. 11—Left Colombo Sept. 27.
1540 Zambesi—Hongkong—Left Suez Canal Sept. 13—P. & O.—Left Aden Sept. 23.
1454 Govino—London—Left Suez Canal Sept. 15.
1469 Kaisra—London—Left Suez Canal Sept. 15—Via Karachi.—Left Aden Sept. 23.
2333 Aston Hall—Liverpool—Left Suez Canal Sept. 17.
1418 Dunedin—Cardiff—Left Suez Canal Sept. 17.
1416 Chollerton—Liverpool—Left Suez Canal Sept. 17.
1225 Wivenhoe—Middlesbro'—Left Suez Canal Sept. 19.
1372 Cuba—Live pool—Left Suez Canal Sept. 21—Via Karachi.
2319 Nubia—Liverpool—Left Suez Canal Sept. 21.
1881 Cathay—Venice—Left Suez Canal Sept. 23—P. & O.—Left Aden Sept. 27.
1475 Guildford—Middlesbro'—Left Suez Canal Sept. 23.
1738 Stura—Hongkong—Left Suez Canal Sept. 24.
2467 Manilla—Genoa—Left Suez Canal Sept. 27.

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1393 Manitoba—Shields—Via Karachi.
1867 Arana—Cardiff.
2317 Iran—Cardiff.
1645 Athabasca—Cardiff.
1655 Olympia—Middlesbro'.
2134 Lauderdale—Tees.
1498 Lochrosa—Cardiff.
1977 Othello—Middlesbro'.
1362 Ross-shire—Tees.
1393 Inchmornish—Cardiff.

THE proposal for extending the jurisdiction of the North-West High Court to Oudh had not reached the India Office three weeks ago. Its existence was, of course, known of unofficially, and there was never any prospect of opposition being offered to the measure by The Secretary of State.

THE REGRETS OF A VETERAN TRAVELLER.

THE *Times* of September 6, contains a charinglym written essay, three-and-a-half columns long, by a "veteran traveller" who laments many of the changes that have come over the face of Europe since the "unprogressive forties" Here are some of the more interesting passages:—

TRAVELLING IN THE OLD DAYS.

Those who remember Europe before the Third Empire, and the great wars of the last five-and-thirty years, know how deeply the outward intercourse of nations has been altered by all that has happened since' 48. The Englishman who travelled then did not feel himself as in a mere time of truce in the midst of a war of races. The Frenchman was chatty, gay, outwardly courteous to all, and inwardly full of bright views of himself and his great nation. The German gave himself no airs, being perfectly happy if he could save some thalers by his superior information, and willing at all times to impart to all he met his inexhaustible stores of erudition and original views on things human and divine. The Italian was not in it. But the Italian or the Russian, if we met him, was the easiest and most versatile of travelling companions. Time was when travellers who supped at the same table could talk quite naturally to each other in any language that served best, when Englishmen did not stare at their countrymen much as undergraduates stare at "an out-college man;" when Frenchmen and Germans discussed the beauties of the Rhine, and when it was not an impertinence to address to a stranger a remark about the weather.

FOREIGNERS LESS SOCIABLE THAN THEY USED TO BE.

All that is over, Wars, annexations, revolutions, race jealousies, railways, circular tours, Harry and Betsy Jane, have made an end of that. We consort with those of our own nation only, and with much hesitation and doubt even with them. Germans, French, English, Russians, or Italians take their pleasure sadly in foreign parts, and in strict national lines. There are English, German, and French resorts; English, German, and French hotels in the same place; English, German, and French tables in the same room. You may see English, German and French families pass many weeks together in the same house, eat thrice a day at the same table, and sit for hours in the same *salons* without ever exchanging a chance word.

THE FRENCHMAN AFTER SEDAN.

It is hardly in human nature to expect ease from a Frenchman. Sedan, Metz, Strasburg, and *milliards* are eternally on his soul; revolutions, communes, proscriptions, and party animosities make him as silent with his own nation as with others. Political causes have led to a singular change. The average Frenchman has lost his manners, and with his manners his liveliness, his happy opinion of himself, and his flow of speech. Out of his own set or party he is morose, taciturn, uneasy, and ill-bred. Hazard a few words about the weather, and his second sentence will relate to the fogs of London (of which he has read in his pet *feuilleton*); ask him to pass you the mustard, and he will inquire if the favourite dish of the English is still raw beef. If a German sits down at the same table, you are almost glad to observe that the knives and forks abroad are so blunt. In short, the Frenchman conducts himself generally like a man who has been declared a defaulter at his club. The consequence is that the Frenchman abroad is too often a melancholy, silent, uncompanionable man.

THE GERMAN'S RESERVE.

The German abroad is almost as reserved as the Frenchman; but it is not, at any rate, from *wounded* pride. He is aware that by many he is not loved, and he gently enjoys the sensation. He is quite sure that intellectually, materially and artistically he stands before all the nations on earth, and, as he knows that his claims are beyond dispute, he needs no pretensions of his to assert them. The inexplicable *verve* of the Frenchman, the versatile energy of the Englishman, are very well in their way, but as nations they are both second-rate. If they decline to associate with him on this understanding he declines to associate at all.

CHANGE IN GERMAN SOCIETY.

The war with France and the reconstitution of the German social economy have produced a great change in German society. The German middle class is no longer poor, and not at all disposed to put up with anything second best. It is more enterprising, more lavish, more cultivated than the corresponding class in France; and if not quite so numerous, or so wealthy, or so restless as that of England, it has far more real education, taste, and industry. The Germans, therefore, with their newly acquired wealth, their skill and general enterprise, are in neutral countries like the Alps almost the rivals in travel of the English. They spend nearly as much, they are almost as numerous, they have everything almost as good, and they are far more really accomplished travellers. It must be admitted that their manners are not yet equal to their essential culture.

GERMAN MANNERS.

The German of the higher class is poor, he travels little, and he does not form the manners of the mercantile and professional class. The middle-class Englishman, whose horror is the knife to eat with, the spittoon in the *salon*, and sundry eccentricities of habit and dress, is too often disposed to undervalue his German fellow-traveller, though in knowledge, culture, and just self-respect the German is much his superior. Now the middle-class German is far too acute not to feel that, in refinement of manner and person, both he and she have still something to learn, but as members of the nation which leads the van of European civilisation, he and she are far too proud to acknowledge it. On the other hand, the Englishman of the middle class, who is apt to take the conventional habits of his own aristocracy for real good breeding, very much exaggerates such superiority in refinement as he may happen to possess with respect to his German neighbour. Wealth, power, knowledge of all sorts the German knows that he has. He is not at all disposed to be snubbed by living man or woman, nor in any place or way will he now be relegated to the second class.

ENGLISH PREJUDICES AGAINST CONTINENTAL HABITS.

The Englishman, too, often has silly schoolboy prejudices about what he calls "Continental habits," sometimes things perfectly innocent and natural in themselves. Very properly, Continentals decline to recognise the schoolboy standard of manners, and the general code of what is, and what is not, "swagger." Hence comes it that travelling is very much less sociable and cheerful than it was. Germans, French, and English practically hold no intercourse. The Frenchman's tongue is tied; the German no longer instructs us with his vast erudition and complacent affability; the Englisman no longer comports himself as if everyone were glad to meet him, and as if it were everyone's duty to answer his questions and supply his wants. Frenchmen, Germans, and English live side by side in the same house, walk in the same paths, lounge in the same verandah, and sit round the same fire as though utterly unconscious of the presence of each other, without betraying by a word, look, or gesture that they observe fellow-creatures around them. When we travel now we all put "invisible caps" in our bags, caps which make us not us invisible to others, but all our fellow-travellers invisible to us. At any rate, all persons of different nationality are not in focus at all. We walk, talk, eat, and drink as if they were mere Banquo's ghosts, invisible to the company generally. A British poer at a race-course could not seem more absolutely unconscious of the presence of his fellow-beings.

THE ITALIAN AS A TRAVELLING COMPANION.

The Italian used to be, if one met him out of Italy, the prince of travelling companions. He was usually a very superior type of his nation, and his urbanity, grace, and sweetness of temper were a constant consolation and charm. The better specimens of Italian gentlemen are still, perhaps, the most agreeable of the European races. But one may have too much of a good thing; and the hordes of Italian middle class who now pour across the Alps are not always beautiful or good.

The great Alpine railway tunnels have opened a new world to the untravelled millions of Northern Italy. No people in Europe have felt the opening more certainly, as none are so close to it; and more of after week the middle classes of Milan, Genoa, Turin, Lombardy, and Piedmont pour across the Alpine passes and through the tunnels by tens of thousands. The districts bordering on the great Alpine railways are now the main haunts of Italian *villeggiatura*, and the neighbourhood of Lucerne and St. Gothard is an Italian summer colony.

It could hardly be expected that, with such a vast increase in numbers, Italy could maintain the high standard of the Italian traveller of old. Italianissimo as I always profess myself, I confess that I am a little tried by the vacuous garrulity of these Milanese ghiers, their taste for colour in costume, now, alas! descended to the level of a Jamaica negress, and the vapid *insouciance* of man, woman, and child. As on the deck of the Lucerne steamboats, amid scenes perhaps the most exquisite and sublime in Europe, I listen to the eternal grasshopper's chirrup of these bulbous, plain, black-eyed *signorine*, perpetually sucking caramels and lozenges, with their oleaginous mamma, a bundle of ill-assorted *chiffons*, their obese papa with a big bad cigar in his blackened teeth, and the *fainéant* young men with gewgaw jewelry, vile tobacco, and almost every accessory of a tourist, except books, information, enthusiasm, and interest, I confess I wonder if the "Administration of Italian Railways" & Co.—Left Aden Sept. 23. [ness" finds it so lucrative. "Is no less than fifty-one circular tours." But these Milanese and Tarinese happy families, if they carry little out of the Alps either in mind or body, do no more harm than the grasshoppers; and one can only trust that here and there in the crowds there yet lingers the charming Italian fellow-traveller of our youth, with far finer manner than the Frenchman, far more grace than the German, and far more repose than the Englishman, who was not without enthusiasm, knowledge, and energy, all infused with a certain sympathetic sweetness which was his own peculiar note.

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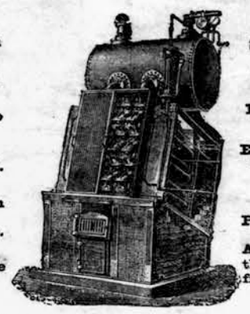

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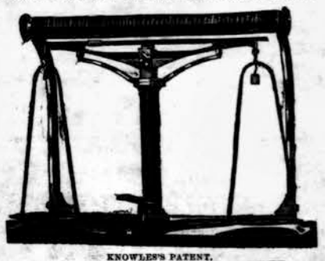

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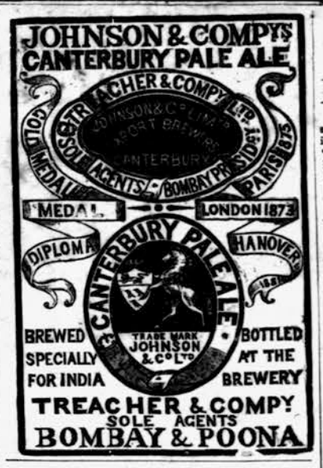

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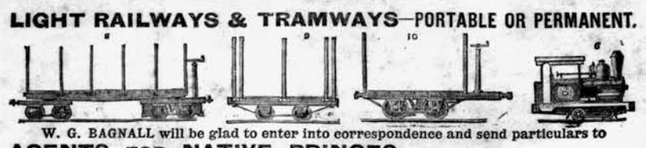

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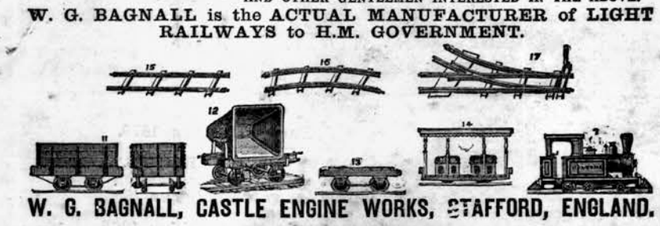

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